THE WEATHER

Cloudy, probably rain tonight; Thursday, fair and colder; south to west winds.

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Moves to Prosecute Oil Lease Frauds

MANY DEMANDS ARE MADE UPON THE CHARITY DEPARTMENT

Great Many People in Need of Assistance, Says Supt. Gormley—Department is Averaging 70 Orders of Provisions and Food a Day

The month of January has made great demands upon the Lowell charity department, and Supt. Joseph H. Gormley said today poverty in the city is more general and pronounced than he has known it to be for some time.

At the present time the charity department is sending out approximately 70 orders of provisions and fuel a day, representing an increase of 30 per cent since November.

Supt. Gormley attributes the increased demand for city aid to lack of permanent employment and does not anticipate any improvement in conditions until business shows a tendency toward stimulation. With the advent

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ALLIED HEADS EXCHANGE NOTES

Baldwin Expresses Desire for Settlement of Difficulties Between Allies

Moves for Complete Anglo-French Understanding—Poincare Replies

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Prime Minister MacDonald recently sent a personal letter to Premier Poincare in which he expressed a desire for a settlement of the difficulties between Great Britain and France and for a complete Anglo-French understanding. M. Poincare replied sympathetically, according to statements printed this morning by the Daily Telegraph and the Daily Express. By this action the

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FEDERAL AGENTS WILL HAVE OFFICE HERE

The postoffice here may provide quarters in the near future for Federal Agents Walter H. Sullivan and Jack Hall of the prohibition enforcement staff. Mr. Sullivan was recently named as supervising agent for Massachusetts and all field forces in this state are working under his direction. Since the time this team commenced work in the district they have had their offices "under their hat."

Elmer C. Potter director of prohibition enforcement, is anxious that they be provided offices in Lowell inasmuch as most of their work is carried on from here. This coupled with the fact that the United States commissioner has his office in this city makes it necessary that they be provided some safe place to keep their court records, evidence and other necessities.

The matter of making room for them on the second floor of the postoffice building is under consideration by Postmaster Delisle. In the event that the building which is now quite comfortably filled, cannot accommodate them the agents will turn to the county or city in an effort to secure rent-free space.

NO SKATING ON THE CITY PLAYGROUNDS

There is no skating on any of the city playgrounds and the park department will make no attempt to flood Shedd park or Washington park until there are signs of a return to lower temperatures.

TO DISFRANCHISE DRY LAW VIOLATORS

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 30.—Persistent offenders who violate the prohibition law in this state, may be disfranchised, it became known here today. Registrars of voters were given the names of 15 persons convicted for a third time of liquor law violation, which is equivalent to a felony according to the statutes. Only three of the list are voters, but they are automatically disqualified. Their names can be restored to the voting lists only by legislative action.

FRIDAY WILL BE BUSY DAY AT COURTHOUSE

Judge Leggat will preside at the Probate court session to be held at the Gorham street courthouse Friday morning. At the same time in the superior civil court room, the Salisbury beach run-running cases will come up before U. S. Commissioner Richard Brabrook Walsh.

Commissioner Walsh will also hold preliminary hearings on Saturday of this week when Edward R. Tryon and others connected with the "Tryon Knitter" will be arraigned in connection with alleged fradulent use of the mails.

The hearing before Frederick S. Harvey as master in the dispute between A. J. Ryan as architect for the houses built at Westford and Walker streets for Findlay Chisholm continued today.

TWO NEW SERGEANTS FOR POLICE DEPT.

When the police department appropriation is settled by the budget and audit commission, Supt. Atkinson will request that a civil service examination for the appointment of two new sergeants be held, he stated this morning. In his estimates recently submitted, the superintendent recommended the appointment of two additional sergeants, one for traffic and one for night duty.

At present there are eight sergeants in the department. Sergt. McMahon and Lieut. Freeman are the only two assigned to late night duty, and when they have their one night off in eight, there is no superior officer around the streets, explained the superintendent. At present there is no civil service list of applicants.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Exchanges, $716,000,000; balances, $71,000,000.

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Clearings, $65,000,000; balances, $7,000,000.

Government's First Affirmative Action Towards Prosecution of Naval Oil Cases Begun Today

SUBURBAN DAY AT AUTO SHOW

Goodly Number of Visitors and Auto Buyers at Auditorium Yesterday

Organ Recital Last Evening—Mayor Curley of Boston Unable to Appear

Tomorrow is "Governor's Day"—Lt. Gov. Fuller Will Represent Gov. Cox

"Suburban Day" today.

"Governor's Day" tomorrow.

But yesterday well, didn't they ramble!! Right into Lowell and the 1924 automobile show at the Memorial Auditorium, from every compass point direction, seemingly.

It may not have been strictly Mr. and Mrs. Suburbanite's specially assigned day of days, but they came to Lowell and saw the auto show just the same. And a host of Lowell show-goers had to genially make way for 'em, of course.

They came early in the afternoon, many of them. They came in car cavalcades toward the sunset hour. In the early evening they fairly swamped East Merrimack street in the vicinity of the Auditorium. Long before 8 o'clock when the bell officially rings, every important parking street and landscape surrounding the Auditorium pile was choked up with assorted passenger vehicles of the gasolene driven type. It was a real crowd, no mistake.

Perhaps the suburban visitors yesterday exceeded the city throng of eager automobile "fans," for at least in the evening the numbers from outlying towns steadily increased after 6 p. m. Strictly speaking as per program, today is supposed to be "Suburban Day," but leave it to the suburbans to come when they please and be thorough about it.

The latchstrings were out for everybody and not a dealer or ready salesman welcoming everybody with

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BIG SEIZURE OF ILLEGAL GAMING DEVICES

The seasons biggest seizure of illegal gaming apparatus was effected early this morning by Officers William Liston, John Leahey and Patrick Bagley of the liquor and vice squads when they confiscated 31 punch boards and several prizes in the fruit and variety store at the corner of Bridge and Fourth sts., alleged to be owned by James A. Manning. The latter was not in the store at the time of the raid, but a warrant for his arrest was taken out the noon and he will be summoned to appear in district court tomorrow morning, on a charge of maintaining gambling implements.

The original purpose of the officers in going to the store was to search

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TOO EARLY FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prospective Candidates for Delegates to National Political Conventions Are Shy

Democrats Commence Jockeying for Preference But G. O. P. is Slumbering

With presidential primaries three months away, names of prospective candidates for convention delegates are being circulated, particularly in the democratic ranks, where interest seems more pronounced at this time than among the republican adherents. For the two delegates from the fifth congressional district, which includes Lowell, names already proposed are those of Humphrey O'Sullivan, Joseph P. Donahue, James Doslin and Andrew E. Barrett of this city and former Mayor Bernard J. Holden, William J. Young, former postmaster and Thomas F. McGowan, Esq., all of Woburn.

To date little has been heard from the republican party hereabouts in relation to convention delegates and it is probable no candidates will be announced at least for another month.

BRENNEN BILL HEARING

Local Representatives Appear in Favor of Measure to Abate River Nuisance

(Special to The Sun)

Representatives Brennen, Sheehy, Lewis, Achin and Corbett of Lowell, and Snow of Tyngsboro appeared before the public health committee at the state house today in favor of a petition brought by Rep. Brennen that

REP. OWEN E. BRENNEN

the department of public health be authorized to investigate the condition of the Concord river between Fordway bridge in Billerica and the Merrimack river in Lowell.

Rep. Owen E. Brennen pointed out the fact that the river is a health nuisance and that it is unbearable because of a bad odor arising from it. He said the lower end of the river was the most filthy in the commonwealth and that many have died been poisoned by bathing in it.

Rep. Corbett said that the [illegible] to be obnoxious at certain [illegible] of the year now it is [illegible] of the time. He [illegible] that the investigation of the Merrimack river now going on, should actually be an investigation of pollution of the Concord. The [illegible] said, he said should be particular [illegible] gate!

SUIT AGAINST IPSWICH MILLS DISMISSED

Federal Judge Lowell in [illegible] yesterday dismissed the suit brought against the Ipswich mills by the Machinery [illegible] which alleged infringement of a patent for a [illegible] drying apparatus. The plaintiff company alleged that it owned a patent issued to Walter [illegible] in 1916 covering a form in the [illegible] of a [illegible] wrinkle, with [illegible] to prevent [illegible] from [illegible] lengthwise wrinkles.

FALL UNABLE TO ATTEND HEARING

Special Government Attorney Begins the Collection of Evidence

Physicians at Secret Meeting of Committee Announce Fall Unable to Appear

Senate Continues Debate on Walsh Resolution Calling for Annulment

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. The government's first affirmative action towards prosecution of the naval oil cases was taken today while the senate still was debating the Walsh annulment resolution. President Coolidge conferred at length with Silas H. Strawn, who with Thomas W. Gregory, will act as special government counsel and immediately afterward, Mr. Strawn began the collection of evidence.

Just before the senate resumed its floor discussion the oil investigating committee heard four physicians testify that the present condition of former Secretary Fall would not warrant his appearance at a public hearing. The committee then decided to send a medical commission of its own to examine him.

E. L. Doheny reappeared at the committee room during the morning, and requested that the committee hear him but adjournment was taken until Friday without his being placed on the stand. He did not announce

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WHY HE ASKED SCHOOL BOARD FOR HEARING

Attorney John M. O'Donoghue, representing William W. Bennett principal of the Morey school in his plea demanding action to force the school committee to reinstate him as master of the Greenhalge evening school, said today that the hearing he requested of the board, which was denied last night, simply was for the reason of ascertaining whether the board as now constituted felt the same regarding the case as last year's committee.

"As I understand it," said Mr. O'Donoghue today, "the committee did not request last night for the reason that matter was in the process of litigation, but expressed a willingness to give me the hearing after the litigation was cleared up. A hearing after the courts have heard the case would be futile and would answer no purpose whatsoever. All I wanted was to ascertain whether this year's committee felt the same way toward the case as did the committee of a year ago, and certainly there would be no reason why such a hearing should be given after the case has been discussed in the criminal court."

Mr. O'Donoghue added that he has nothing further to offer locally and will go ahead with the case on February 6, the date marked for hearing.

REBEL FORCES AROUND VERA CRUZ PLAN GUERILLA WARFARE

Action Taken Following Crushing Defeats at Llano Grande, Boca del Monte and Esperanza—Anti-Government Propaganda Inaugurated

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 30.—(By radio via Fort Worth Star-Telegram)—(By the Associated Press)—Revolutionary forces around Vera Cruz are preparing to inaugurate guerilla warfare following the crushing defeats at Llano Grande, Boca del Monte and Esperanza, according to wireless messages sent to General Dieguez in Jalisco by General De la Huerta, revolt leader, which were intercepted and given out by the war department.

The messages carrying the plain intimation that anti-government propaganda which the De la Huertaistas plan to inaugurate since the purchase by the government of arms and munitions in the United States will induce the president in violent terms of giving tactic encouragement to attacks upon Americans on the ground that the United States is interfering with Mexican affairs with the ulti-

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GAS MASKS TO HALT CHICKEN THIEVES

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 30. Gas masks for choice poultry may become necessary if chicken thieves persist in the method of gassing henneries about the state, in order to silence the squawks of the stolen fowls. Following discovery of the use of gas by thieves in a raid upon a Guilford hennery, reports of similar thefts have come in from Madison and Vernon. Leading poultrymen of the state, here today for the state poultry show, discussed methods of combatting the latest mode of thievery.

BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

Early Morning Fire in Unoccupied House in Chestnut and Willow Streets

The large unoccupied residential properties at the corner of Chestnut and Willow streets known as the Stevens estate and owned at the present time by Margaret Moraley of this city, was badly damaged by a fire of unknown origin which was discovered shortly after 5 o'clock this morning.

A passer-by noticed flames in a downstairs room in the rear of the house and sounded an alarm from box 84 at 5.30 o'clock. The flames spread with amazing rapidity, however, and upon the arrival of the firemen the interior of the rear section of the house was a mass of flames.

For several minutes it seemed that the building was doomed but lines of hose were directed at the flames from four sides and, within half an hour the fire was under control, spreading from the rear of the house

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ELASTIC WEBBING PLANT TO REMAIN HERE

The Everlastik Incorporated, formerly manufacturing elastic webbing in the two-story factory at 191 Cambridge street, will remain in Lowell. A report to that effect current about the city for several days, was confirmed this morning by T. Martin and Brother company, controlling the Lowell plant.

Several weeks ago the Cambridge street plant was closed and announcement made that the concern would transfer most of its equipment to Boston headquarters, discontinuing further weaving operations in this city.

The announcement made this morning by Mr. Martin, in charge of the local plant, will be welcome news to local industrial circles. Mr. Martin stated that when the new required machinery equipment is made ready, there will be different weaving goods manufactured on Cambridge street. Plans have not been completed, it was said for immediate resumption of operations, but about a month from now preparations for opening the plant will be consummated.

SONG-WRITING CONTEST AT HIGH SCHOOL

A song writing contest at the Lowell high school in connection with a prize of $5 is offered for the [illegible] submitted and adopted as [illegible] a new school song, choices [illegible] Onward Ight Ahead, Head Aloft [illegible] Hi Gorgie has had eight songs [illegible] chosen, two of which include [illegible] as well as words, all others words set to popular tunes. When the contest closes the songs will be [illegible] to three judges, who will [illegible] or discard them all if they [illegible] none would be appropriate. The judges are [illegible] Hunt, Sidney R. [illegible] and A. F. Woodies.

NEWSPAPERS TO GO FIRST CLASS

Will Be Treated the Same as Letters and Other First Class Matter

New Order to Expedite Delivery of Papers Issued by Postmaster General

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Beginning Friday, newspapers will be accorded the same treatment in the mails as letters and other first class matter, by an order made public today by Postmaster General New.

"The order," said Mr. New, "means much to the American public. It is one of the most important and far-reaching steps in postoffice history. It is for the benefit of those who desire to have their newspapers placed before them at as early a moment as possible. This should keep both the city and rural population in closer and quicker touch with their several fields of activities."

Under the new system, newspapers will be made up in separate sacks plainly labelled with the word "Newspapers." If there are only a few copies of newspapers at the point of dispatch, they will be placed in pouches with first class mail or in separate sacks, even though the sacks are only partly filled. The order stipulates that newspapers shall not be mixed with parcel post at any point in their despatch from the publishers' offices until their delivery to the addressee.

DEMURRERS SUSTAINED

Supreme Court of District of Columbia Sustains Demurrers of Crowell et als

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The supreme court of the District of Columbia today sustained demurrers of Benedict Crowell, former assistant secretary of war, and six others indicted with him in cases growing out of the building of war time cantonments.

Others indicted and included in the demurrer which was sustained, were William A. Starrett, New York; Morton C. Tuttle, Boston; Clemens W. Lundoff, Cleveland; Clare Fisher of Canada; John Meribhous, Baltimore, and James A. Myers, Boston.

The defendants were associated with the council of national defense and were charged with conspiracy to maladminister laws and regulations and to control the letting of contracts to friends, associates and client under the "cost plus" system. All were prominent in the construction industry.

Atty. Gen. Daugherty initiated the proceedings as a part of the government's prosecution of war-time construction cases.

The Late J. P. Morgan Said:

"There is no such thing as standing still; you are either going up or down."

A Savings Account is your anchor to windward, preventing you from coming down. Those who save, succeed.

Open a Savings Account in this old established bank where your interest begins the first day of each month.

We also want to tell you about the man in Michigan who lost the savings of years by concealing his earnings in a trunk at his lodging house.

And again, we want to call your attention to our Safe Deposit Department. Convenient sized boxes in our modern steel vault can be rented for $5 per year, and certainly cannot be regarded as a luxury.

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Stay sold pretty well, as value received satisfies most people.

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Inside Events of TUDOR THEATRE

THERE IS PLENTY OF COAL FOR EVERYBODY

But do not wait until the thermometer gets down below zero, with a foot of snow on the ground before ordering. Somebody else may think to order coal the same day.

Candlemas day is Feb. 2. If you are going to need more coal this winter,

ORDER IT NOW

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PRES. COOLIDGE SPEAKS

First Lesson in Democratic Economy During Garfield-Hancock Campaign

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—President Coolidge received his first lesson in "sound political economy" and a striking lesson in democratic economy during the Garfield-Hancock campaign of 1880, when he was eight years old.

Speaking informally at the annual meeting of the Ohio Society of Washington, last night, Mr. Coolidge told this story of an incident of the Garfield-Hancock campaign:

"It was during that campaign that I, as a small boy, approached my father, who was a very good business man, with the proposition that he should furnish me with a penny to buy candy. He told me that we were in the midst of a political campaign and there was a probability, a possibility at least, that we were going to elect a democrat for president. Such an action, he said, would undoubtedly be followed by hard times, and therefore it was necessary to economize.

"That was good, sound doctrine, I think; anyhow it had to do for me. But I recall that the next morning after the election and as soon as the news reached our town that James A. Garfield had been chosen president, I went to my father and told him the result indicated we were to continue a republican administration and with that prospect in view, I was able to secure the advance of the sum I had asked."

POWERS OF PRES. LEWIS HANG IN BALANCE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 30 (by the Associated Press).—Appointive powers of International President John L. Lewis hung in the balance today as the roll call of delegates to the United Mine Workers convention was resumed following a partial roll call yesterday, which gave a vote of 1525 to 1475 in favor of the proposed change.

Insurgents have given their entire strength to this fight. Their leaders announced, and they expect to maintain their lead throughout and accomplish the change by a safe margin. Administration supporters on the other hand, declared the lead of 53 votes gained yesterday will be overcome when the districts of the southern and western states vote, and the president will be upheld by a majority of between 200 and 300 votes.

THE BUDGET AND AUDIT COMMISSION

The budget and audit commission will resume appropriation sessions tomorrow afternoon. It is not expected that any department heads will appear before them at that time, as accompanying many of the estimates this year were letters in explanation of increases requested.

The commission met in the office of the auditor today and approved the following payrolls: Weekly, $38,627.25; monthly, $25,204.90.

Comfort Tired Aching Feet With Cuticura

When your feet are tired, hot and burning bathe them with warm water and Cuticura Soap and follow by a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment. Cuticura Talcum dusted on the feet is cooling and soothing.

Samples Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 21B, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c.

Try our new Shaving Stick.

MEDFORD HIGH DEFEATS RINDGE TECHNICAL

The Rindge Technical high school track team was defeated last night by Medford high school, 62-6, in a dual meet held in Medford. This meet was run in spite of the fact that Rindge recently notified the local officials that as the team was to be disbanded from lack of place to practice, the meet scheduled for Feb. 2 with Lowell would have to be cancelled. As Lowell had already gone to some expense in preparation for the meet, attempts were made to hold the contest but Rindge refused to consider it. From appearances, last night's meet with Medford would seem to show a lack of good faith on the part of the Cambridge school, and Faculty Manager Conway stated this morning that it was doubtful if athletic relations with Rindge would be renewed once more.

Officials for the meet with Lawrence on March 1 have been appointed and agreed upon by both schools. The referee will be Coach Shephard of the Andover track team, and one of the judges will be Larry Shields, noted Andover athlete. The other two coaches will also be Andover men.

Many Demands are Made Upon Charity Department

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of spring, a change undoubtedly will come, but for the balance of the winter the calls upon the charity department probably will not abate to any extent and based upon current records further increases are possible.

This Is a Water Story

Word was received by Supt. Robert Gardner of the water works at 7 o'clock last night to the effect that water was flowing out of the second-story windows of the house at 295 Stevens street, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Neiland. He sent a repair man to investigate, but as the house was locked and entrance was impossible, the only remedy was to shut off the water at the sidewalk gate.

Inquiry brought the information that Mr. and Mrs. Neiland are out of the city for a few days and Supt. Gardner does not know what has occurred within the house to cause flood conditions unless pipes burst during the recent cold snap. Even if this should be the cause he cannot explain how water would rise to a level to allow it to flow out of the windows.

The Neilands occupy the upper flat of the house, the lower one being empty, and during their absence from the city the entire house has been uninhabited.

IF KIDNEYS BOTHER TRY DOSE OF SALTS

Drink Quart of Water if Your Back Hurts or Bladder Troubles

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin to drink soft water in quantities, also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to help neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone can take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby often preventing serious kidney complications. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.—Adv.

U. S. RESUMES RELATIONS WITH GREECE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Diplomatic relations between the United States and Greece have been resumed after a lapse since 1920 when Constantine resccended the throne vacated by the death of Alexander and established a regime regarded by the American government as being based upon military power without confirmation by election.

Recent elections in Greece have resulted in the establishment of a government whose credentials are acceptable to the United States, However, and Secretary Hughes yesterday received M. Tsamadosas, the Greek charge d'affaires, at the same time instructing Jay Atherton, who has been unofficially in charge of American interests at Athens, to act as charge d'affaires ad interim to the new government there.

The new regime already has received recognition from a number of powers, and the action of the United States follows by only two weeks a similar step on the part of Great Britain.

PLAN AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE MONDAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—While members of congress, despite the oil muddle, continued their work on farm relief measures today, administration officials went forward with their plans for the agricultural conference here Monday. More than 50 representatives of interests affected by the agricultural situation have been invited by President Coolidge to attend the conference.

The list was selected with a view to assembling the ideas of farmers, agricultural colleges, merchants, manufacturers, bankers, chambers of commerce and transportation, insurance and mortgage companies.

Among the topics already decided upon for consideration is the program on which the president and his advisers are working for relief of the credit stringency in the northwest, and the action yesterday of the senate agricultural committee in reporting favorably the Norbeck-Burtness bill, making $75,000,000 available for loans to enable growers to diversify their products also is expected to receive considerable attention.

NEW YORK'S ACTING MAYOR IN HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Acting Mayor Murray Hulbert was taken unexpectedly to a hospital last night, it became known today. There was no indication of the nature of his illness, but physicians said it was not serious. During his absence William T. Collins, vice chairman of the board of aldermen, will be nominal head of the city government.

Mr. Hulbert has been acting mayor since last summer, when Mayor John T. Hylan, who is at present recuperating in Florida, became seriously ill.

BOYS' PENROD OVERCOATS

Now on Sale at Three Popular Prices

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Boys' Shop—Street Floor

The Bon Marché
DRY GOODS CO.

PRIMROSE HOUSE REPRESENTATIVE

Miss Lillian M. Bell, a special representative from the Primrose House, New York, will be at our Toilet Goods Dept. Friday afternoon and all day Saturday. You are invited to consult her.

The New Dress Goods For Spring

Street Floor

Flannel Checks, in the new spring shades. full 56-inch width, the latest wanted materials for sport dresses, Yard..$2.69

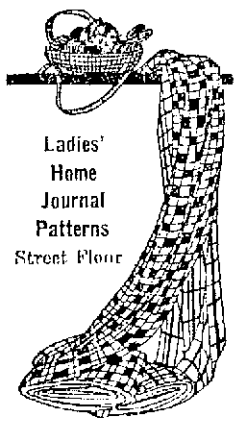
Sport Coatings for spring, so designed as to give distinction, Yard $5.98

Bolivia Coatings, in navy, two shades of brown, grey, black, 54 inches wide, for spring coats and wraps, Yard.....$5.49

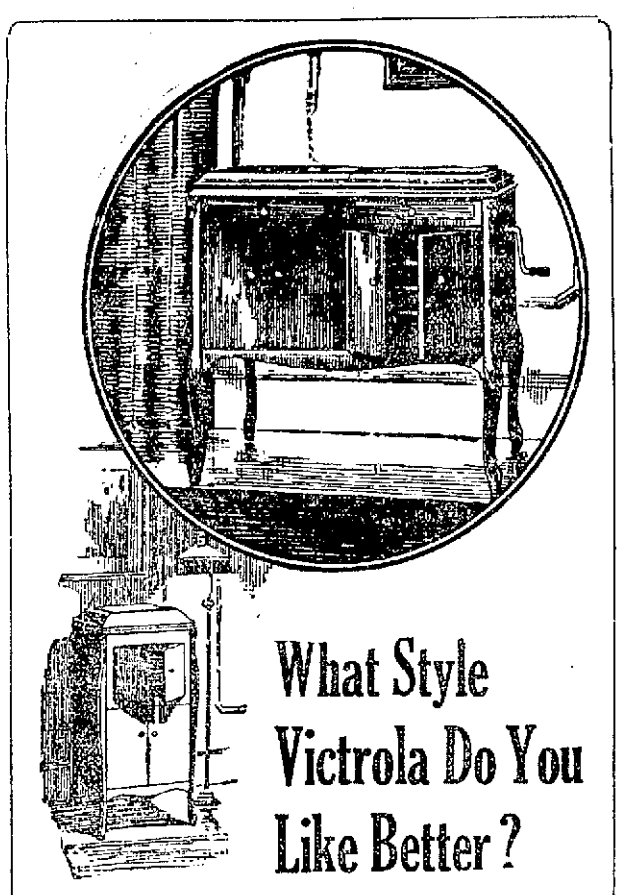
Goetz Satins, 36 inches wide, all silk satin, heavy enough to be durable and soft enough to drape beautifully, all colors, Yard $2.75

Camel Hair Coatings, for the new spring topcoat, 54 inches wide, in grey, tan and brown checks and grey and blue checks, Yard....$3.49

Perma-Pleat, an absolutely new spring material, all silk and so constructed as to give the appearance of a pleated material, in tan, cocoa, brown, copen, blue and navy, Yard $4.49



Ladies' Home Journal Patterns
Street Floor



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No matter whether you prefer the upright models, or the horizontal types—you will find them both represented at attractive prices in our store. We are ready to stand back of each Victrola instrument we sell with all our store facilities and service, because experience has taught us that the Victor trademark under the lid represents quality workmanship, correct design, superior reproduction and customer satisfaction.

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New Victor Records, Once a Week, Every Week—

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Vogue Hair Nets, double mesh: regularly 15c. 3 for 33c

Babcock's Talcum Powder, rose, corylopsis or violet: regularly 25c 19c

Father John's Medicine, large size: regularly 89c 85c

Glycerine and Rose Water, regularly 45c.....39c

NOTION DEPT.

Street Floor

Needle Books, regularly 95c 69c

Gem Safety Pins, 10c and 12½c card .....3 for 25c

Mercerized Darning Cotton, all shades; regularly 10c ball 5c

Fancy Ribbon Elastic, for garters and armbands, combination of colors: regularly 69c, 50c Yard

Wooden Coat Hangers, regularly 12½c, 3 for 25c

DOMESTICS

Velvet Outing Flannel, in white, pink, blue, red, dark and light grey, 27 inches wide, the finest flannel made: regularly 25c 19c

Fruit-of-the-Loom Pillow Cases, 42x36, with factory ticket on each case; regularly 39c, 29c (Limit 6 to a customer)

LEATHER GOODS

Handbags, leather, velvet, silk and tweed bags; regularly $1.59 and $2.00 .....79c

Handbags, envelope and pouch styles, in Persian leather, pin seal, boarded goat and vachette, black, brown, red and green: regularly $3.00 and $3.50 ..... $1.95

Leather Purses, small hand purses, black strap, inside metal frame, in black and brown; regularly $1.00 ..... 79c

NECKWEAR

Mesh Veilings, all colors; regularly 50c yard, short lengths, each 10c

Children's Linen Collars, slightly soiled: regularly 25c 10c

TRIMMINGS

Street Floor

Hamburg Edges and Beadings, regularly 25c, 15c Yard

Fancy Ornaments, regularly $1.00 .....25c

BOYS' CLOTHING

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FUNERAL NOTICES

HILL—In this city, Jan. 29, at 614 Westford street, Mrs. Deborah R. Hill, aged 87 years, 7 months and 26 days. Funeral services will be held at 614 Westford street, on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Burial in the Edson cemetery. Funeral Director John A. Weinbeck in charge.

DUDLEY—In this city, Jan. 29, at the Lowell General hospital, Miss Sarah E. Dudley, aged 77 years, 8 months and 2 days. Funeral services will be held at the Funeral church, 236 Westford street, Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. Undertakers Geo. W. Healey in charge.

SABOLL—Died in this city January 29, at 14 Sutherland street, Mrs. Elmire (St. Amant) Saboll. Funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock, from 14 Sutherland street. Solemn high funeral mass at 9 o'clock at St. Louis' church. Friends are invited to attend. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons in charge.

SHEA—Died January 29, Mrs. Cordelia Shea. Funeral will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Ruess, 83 Lane street. Funeral high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in Wild Wood cemetery, Winchester, Mass. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

FOYE—Died January 29th, at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Marcella M. (Roberts) Foye, beloved wife of Edward J. Foye. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. John J. Poole, 1030 Central street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Peter's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Charles H. Taylor will take place Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 27 Lagrange street. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church, hour to be announced later. Funeral will be in charge of Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

FUNERALS

REYNOLDS—The funeral of Henry L. Reynolds took place yesterday afternoon from Saunders' Funeral home, 217 Appleton street, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. E. Ambrose Jenkins, pastor of the First Congregational church of Revere. There was appropriate singing by Harry Hopkins and Miss Hazel E. Tuthill. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were Gordon Reynolds, John Carr, Warren Smith and Raymond McPhail. Burial took place in Riverside cemetery, No. Chelmsford, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Jenkins. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

CLARK—Funeral services for William Clark, a former resident of Billerica, who died Sunday in Tewksbury, were held yesterday afternoon at the tomb in Fox Hill cemetery, Billerica, Rev. J. Harold Dale, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating. The arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

DUDLEY—Miss Sarah E. Dudley died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 77 years 8 months and 2 days. She leaves three brothers, Edmund of Lowell, Fred E. of West Somerville and Frank Dudley of Ithaca, N. Y., and three nieces, Mrs. Lulu Speere of Worcester, Mrs. Edith Griffin of Portland, Me., and Mrs. Irving Sweet of Lowell. Miss Dudley was one of the oldest members of the First Baptist church. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 236 Westford street.

TAYLOR—Charles H. Taylor, a well known young resident of St. Patrick's parish, died yesterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital, aged 37 years. He was a well known employe of the Rice Wire Works and a prominent member of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters. He is survived by his wife, Catherine (Nagle) Taylor; two children, Raymond and Donald; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor, and three brothers, Joseph, William and George. The body was removed to the chapel of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons, and will later be taken to his home, 27 Lagrange street. He was a member of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church.

SABOLL—Mrs. Elmire (St. Amant) Saboll, widow of Philander Saboll, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 14 Sutherland street, aged 87 years. She had been a resident of this city for the past 67 years and was well known in the Centralville district, where she lived for several years. She was an attendant of St. Louis' church and was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis and Ste. Anne's sodality. She is survived by one daughter, Miss Alma Saboll of this city, and two sons, Charles of this city and Frederick Saboll of Indianapolis, Ind.

DODGE—Isaac W. Dodge died Jan. 26, at the Veterans' hospital at Rutland, Mass. Mr. Dodge was a former resident of Lowell, having been employed as head bookkeeper at the local office of the Nelson Morris Co., until seven months ago. Mr. Dodge served in the World war, spending over two years overseas. Mr. Dodge's illness had been of long duration. He is survived by his father and mother, one brother and a sister as well as his wife and baby son.

KENNEY—The funeral of Miss Jane F. Kenney, an old and life-long resident of this city, took place this morning at 8.15 o'clock from Dr. Flint's sanatorium, Dracut Centre, and was very largely attended by relatives and friends, including a number from out-of-town. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. James F. Lynch. The choir, under the direction of Miss Margaret Griffin, rendered the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Griffin and Mr. Joseph Egan. Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye presided at the organ. There were many floral offerings and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were Messrs. Thomas F. Reynolds, Edward F. Cassidy, John F. McAloon and Edward Kenney. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. Fr. Lynch. The arrangements were in charge of Funeral Directors James W. McKenna Sons.

MADISON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary (Quirk) Madison, widow of John Madison, a former district chief of the Boston fire department, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9 o'clock, a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. John Linehan of St. John's church, North Chelmsford, a relative of deceased. The choir, under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary Rynne and Mr. Donnelly. Miss Gertrude Quigley presiding at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were William Daley, David A. Mahoney, Albert Choquette, Patrick Brosnahan, Lieutenant John Freeman, and Joseph E. Lee. At the grave, Rev. John Linehan, assisted by Rev. Peter T. Linehan of St. Peter's church, read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CLARK—The funeral of Mr. Daniel J. Clark took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from the home of his brother, Mr. Joseph W. Clarke, 12 Nesmith st., and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Aloysius Madden, assisted by Rev. Thomas J. Heagney as deacon and Rev. John J. Shaw, the pastor, as sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Miss Margaret Griffin, rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Mr. Joseph A. Egan rendered Leybach's Pie Jesu, Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye presiding at the organ. The church was well filled with parishioners and many representatives of the civil and fraternal life of this city as the deceased was well and favorably known. Among those present were the following from the Lowell Aerie, F.O.E.: Messrs. Past Worthy President Timothy F. Barry, Patrick Baxter, Thomas F. Quinn, Jr., John F. McCarthy and Thomas J. Hunt. Services were held last evening, being conducted by Worthy President Thomas F. Quinn and officers, Mr. James E. Donnelly acting as chorister. The following delegation from the Lowell Lodge of Elks also acted as bearers for the deceased. Thomas A. Golden, James H. Walker, Alexandre Ducharme, John M. Ford, James L. Kenney, E.L.K., and Walter Whitney. There was a great profusion of floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Madden. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MASS NOTICE

BEAN—There will be a month's mind mass for the repose of the soul of William Henry Lefebvre, (Bean), Monday morning, February 4, at 8 o'clock, at the Sacred Heart church.

A NEW ORGAN

A new two Manuel Estey church organ has been installed at The Funeral church, 236 Westford street. It is much larger and better toned than the one previously in use. It will add greatly to the dignity and church-like atmosphere of funeral services held at this establishment. It is optional whether the organ is to be used at a funeral service or not. There is no charge for the use of the church, but if the organ is desired a fee is required for the organist. Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, organist at All Souls church, has consented to act in a like capacity at The Funeral church.

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DEATHS

HILL—Mrs. Deborah R. Hill, widow of David L. Hill, died yesterday at her home, 614 Westford street, aged 87 years, 7 months and 26 days. She leaves one daughter, Miss Addie M. Hill of this city. Mrs. Hill has been a resident of Lowell since 1850.

LEBEL—Murielle Lebel, daughter of Thurlbe and Cerile (Lebel) Lebel, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 157 Lawtucket street, aged 2 months and 7 days.

FOYE—Mrs. Marcella (Roberts) Foye, wife of Edward J. Foye, died last night at St. John's hospital. She was a well known resident of St. Peter's parish, and was married only four weeks ago. Her death at this time will cause regret among her many friends, as well as much sympathy for her husband and family. Besides her husband, she leaves her mother, Mrs. John Poole; one sister, Miss Eileen Poole and a brother, Joseph Poole. The body was taken to the home of her mother, 1030 Central street, by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COSTELLO—Mrs. Katherine Costello, widow of the late Patrick Costello, died at the home of her daughter, 124 High street, this noon. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of C. H. Molloy & Sons, in Market street. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Della Bates, and one son, Walter Costello. Mrs. Costello was a prominent member of the Immaculate Conception parish. Funeral notice later.

SMALL FLOWERS

Flowers are seen blooming gayly on the latest spring millinery. Small flowers in conventional arrangements are the rule.

ST. ANNE'S QUINTET LOSES AT LAWRENCE

After winning the first 13 games of the season straight, St. Anne's basketball team went down to defeat last evening in Lawrence, when the Lawrence Boys' club five rolled up the score of 36 points to St. Anne's 25. The game was featured by the entrance of Jim Kelly, star forward, in the last quarter in which time he threw five baskets. Kelly, one of the team's best assets in other years, has been out of the play, for almost a year due to injuries received last season.

The Lawrence team slightly outweighed St. Anne's and was by far the best outfit the local boys had tackled this year. Tomorrow night the strong American Glue Co. team from Boston will play in the parish hall on Kirk street. The game promises to be the best that has been offered the Lowell fans this year.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

The county commissioners in an informal session at Cambridge yesterday discussed the opposed petition of the Massachusetts Cities Realty Trust for permission to maintain the spur track in Jackson street leading to the Bay State storage warehouses, their property. No decision was reached by the commissioners, the discussion being simply an exchange of ideas on the validity of the grounds upon which the petition is opposed. The decision will probably be made before the next monthly session of the board and announced at that time.

Badly Damaged by Fire

Continued

through the partitions, the fire broke out again in the attic in the front section of the house. The building is shingled with slate and this interfered with the work of the firemen, it being necessary to tear off a considerable section of the roofing before the fire could be extinguished. After the fire appeared to be extinguished and the men were preparing to leave, a blaze was discovered in the wood work under the slate roof and for ten minutes hose and chemical lines were directed upon this section before Chief Saunders ordered a cessation of the battle.

The recall was sounded at 7.22 o'clock but one company was detailed to watch the premises for a recurrence of the fire.

Chief Saunders investigated the fire after sounding the recall but was unable to definitely ascertain the cause as the section in which it originated was completely destroyed.

The damage was estimated at between $10,000 and $15,000 and was covered by insurance.

The residence is one of the landmarks of the Belvidere section, having been built by S. R. Griffin when he was a water works commissioner. It was afterwards purchased by the Stevens family and was occupied by Tyler A. Stevens for many years. Since last November it has been transferred three times, H. W. Ordway selling to Margaret Fitzgerald and the latter transferring title to the present owner.

Capt. David Purtle of the police detective bureau started an investigation of the fire this morning at the request of Fire Chief Saunders, but as yet has made no report.

MOTORCYCLE SQUAD

Members of the Lowell motorcycle police squad, relieved less than a month ago because of the advent of snow-covered ground, were back on their old jobs yesterday. After nearly a month in blue the riders looked as spiffy as ever in their whipcord uniforms and Sam Browne belts.

Some of the new jackets for spring have loose, slightly flaring backs and bell-shaped sleeves.

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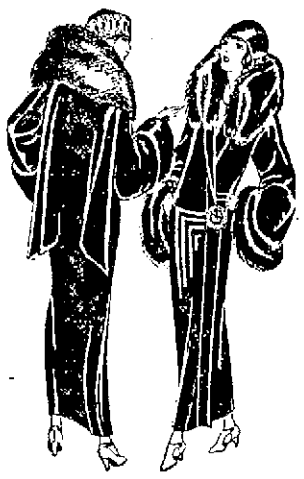

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Beautiful Silk Blouses in georgette crepe, satin, canton crepe. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed. All shades. Sizes 36 to 42. Quantity limited. While they last **$1.29**

114 New Hats
Yes, Advance Spring Hats in new Satins and Straws, trimmed in ways that will please you. All the new colors. One of a style. They would be good value at double our price. For this sale **$3.50**

208 Girls' Fleece Lined Union Suits
Sizes 8 to 16 years. Long and 3-4 sleeves. High neck and Dutch neck, ankle length. Not more than 4 to one customer **25c**
Third Floor

300 Pairs Children's Fine Ribbed Stockings. Black and Brown. Sizes 5½ to 6. A pair **5c**
98 Girls' Flannelette Nightgowns. Fine quality. Sizes 8 to 12 years **59c**
200 Infants' Esmond Crib Blankets. Blue and pink, large size **79c**
Third Floor

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Final performances will be given this evening at the Merrimack Square theatre of "To the Ladies," the rollicking James Cruze comedy of domestic life with a cast which includes Edward Horton, Theodore Roberts and Louise Dresser. Those who have seen this production pronounce it one of the best of the season. "The Dancer of the Nile," a story of the times of King Tut, is the companion attraction.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday the underlined feature will be Buster Keaton in "Three Ages," the noted comedian's first-reel comedy feature. It is indisputably Keaton's funniest comedy. It is not only funny but sustains that fun through six reels of comic action burlesquing man and his methods of winning his mate in three different epochs of history.

"Three Ages" opens with the cave man age and shows Buster as a full fledged cave man surrounded by others of his tribe. Unfortunately Buster has fallen in love with the woman who is desired by the strong man of the clan. A duel is arranged and Buster "leads" his club with a rock, beats his rival into insensibility and finally seizes the woman forcibly and escapes with her.

The next episode takes place in the period of the triumphant Roman empire. Again Buster has a rival for the woman he loves. A chariot race is arranged to decide the affair. The day of the race brings snow and Buster appears in a chariot on runners drawn by Eskimo dogs. His rival, furious, throws him into a den with a hungry lion. Buster escapes, defeats his rival and escapes with the woman.

The action then changes to our own day. The same situation appears and the contest this time is a football match. By clever strategy Buster wins the game after which his rival "does him dirt." But here, too, Buster has the upper hand and wins the girl. "Three Ages" is a remarkable picture from every angle, not the least of which is its elaborate scenic setting.

Hoot Gibson in "Double Dealing" and a comedy, "On Easy Street," with the News Weekly will complete the bill.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A very cleverly written and acted comedy is "Doubt," which Paul Decker and his company offer at the B. F. Keith theatre this week. Unusual to a degree it will keep audiences wondering right up to the very end. It holds some unusually bright lines. One of the very best ventriloquial acts ever seen here is that presented by Walter and Emily Walters. It has everything. In the parlance of the day, and it has caused no end of real entertainment. Wade Booth, American baritone, gives a program which includes some of the smaller classics of the present time. His singing is excellent and his whole act is one of much dignity. There are many other interesting things on the bill, including the act of George M. Fisher and Henry Hurst, which is comedy and song; Jean LaCrosse, California's favorite soprano, and the Bostons, wonderful jugglers. The week's picture is "The Broad Road."

THE STRAND

What is a "necker?" What is a "red kiss?" What is a "white kiss?" What is flapperism in its truest sense? If you would learn, then don't fail to see "Flaming Youth," with Colleen Moore starring, now being shown at The Strand. Miss Moore plays the role of a flip little flapper who steals her sister's go-to-party dress and then steps out to knock 'em cold. She does. At her first party she's a riot. She would need a secretary to keep track of all the "dates" she made that night. Conventions simple didn't belong in this young girl's code. But she has an awakening and it comes in a most dramatic and romantic way. Milton Sills, Myrtle Stedman and others of screen prominence and popularity, are seen in the supporting cast.

The second feature presents Douglas MacLean and Edith Roberts in "The Sunshine Trail," a good romantic comedy of the west. The usual comedy and Weekly help to make up a program of real merit. Don't miss seeing "Flaming Youth" and learn and benefit by it.

THE DEMI-VIRGIN

William Courneen, new leading man of the Luttringer stock players, makes a splendid impression in "The Demi-Virgin," this week's play at the Lowell Opera House. Mr. Courneen made his first appearance yesterday at the matinee performance. At the outset it was perfectly plain that he is an actor of merit and experience. Miss Lillian Desmonde, who joined last week as new leading lady, further endeared herself in the hearts of her audience. With the two new leads, both proving highly popular, the Luttringer unit here takes rank as one of the leading stock companies of the east. The local unit has for the past season been noted among the showmen for its sterling supporting cast, but a weakness in the leads as has been inferred. This is overcome with the selection of Mr. Courneen and Miss Desmonde so it is safe to assume we may look for even better things.

A number of extra women are required to present this play, a romantic farce of three acts. The first scene shows an interior of a Hollywood motion picture studio and the setting is especially good. The second scene is at the country home of Gloria Graham (Miss Desmonde) a week later. The settings are up to the usual high standard. The show abounds in smart lines, snappy sayings and unusual costumes. It is a show that more than lives up to expectations and is certain to make a great hit throughout the week. To name individuals who stood out particularly last night would be only to name them all or to slight some. The cast:

A Movie Director....Malcolm MacLeod
Assistant Movie Director
Frank Farrara
Camera Man ....Hal Stack
Dot Madison ....Dawn Frost
Cora Montague.....Edna Earl Andrews
Amy Allenby.......Gladys Fernandez
Wanda Borescu.........Betty Hartford
Aunt Zeffie ....Marguerite Slavin
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Declares Mayor Kendrick is Right Back of Him in Cleanup Work

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30. Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, director of public safety, has emerged victorious in his first encounter with a group of politicians who sought to intercede in behalf of a police lieutenant demoted because of alleged inefficiency during the directors' latest offensive against vice and crime.

In his terse and emphatic manner, General Butler yesterday told the politicians that he was boss of the police and that any sign of political interference would result immediately in his resignation, and return to the marine corps. After a conference with Mayor Kendrick regarding the matter, the general announced today that the mayor had upheld his action. "The mayor's a good boy," he said. "He's right back of me in this rotten job."

RIALTO THEATRE

For presentation at the Rialto theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday is William Russell's latest William Fox production, "Times Have Changed." Opening a new page in the screen career of William Russell, this attraction boasts a story and a leading character enactment that is difficult to associate with any previous Russell film. Firstly, Russell is said to expose hitherto unsuspected comedy depths. He appears in the likeness of Mark O'Rell, a handsome army officer who finds his love in an army nurse while in France. The comedy elements centre around his return to Wynwood, the seat of the Redmans, the youngest scion of which he is engaged to marry. The Redmans are an old family with many shelves of dusty tradition. They are as proud of their family as any Roman patriarch.

When Mark, in his bright army uniform, is formally inspected by the reception committee of the family his discomfort is great. With disdainful eyes and critical smirks he is finally accepted. Aunt Cordelia, head of the Redman clan, presents her niece, now the wife of Mark, with the family heirloom. "Ten generations of Redmans have died under it," the aunt informs the young wife. It is a quilt—the stormy petrel, the modus operandi of the story. Playing with William Russell are Mabel Julienne Scott, popular leading lady, and Allene Ray, beauty contest winner.

Everyone knows or has heard some of the beautiful music from the opera "The Bohemian Girl" and this wonderful story of gypsy life has been transferred to the screen. And this is the first time in the history of the screen that an opera has been transfered to the screen. A splendid musical score will interpret the picture and it is said that in screen form the story has lost none of its power.

DRACUT CENTRE CHURCH

Dracut Centre church members have elected Nelson E. Huntley chairman of the church music committee, Miss Doris Peabody secretary and Miss Doris Fox treasurer. Mrs. Robertson has been re-engaged as chorister and Miss Margaret Martin as organist. The choir has purchased much new music for 1924 use.

CUTTING ICE IN NO. BILLERICA

Ice harvesting began yesterday at North Billerica, the work being in charge of Contractor B. W. Kearney. The first cut is about 12 inches in thickness and of good quality.

V-NECK FAVORED

Necklines may be round, square or pointed this year, according to individual preferences, but the pointed V-neck is preferred.

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On the Way, He Found Milks Emulsion, Also His Health

"A couple of years ago, I came under the Government's care, being a disabled soldier, and I reckon I have taken pretty near all the medicine that there is on the market. Finally the examining physician of my district told me I wouldn't live six months if I stayed in Maine. So I got scared and started west to find a dry climate, but as far west as I got was Indianapolis and Milks Emulsion.

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HOSEMAN JAMES TRACY SERIOUSLY INJURED

Hoseman James H. Tracy of Hose 13 was seriously injured last night when he fell from the rear of the hose wagon while it was responding to an alarm and struck his head on the pavement. He was removed to St. John's hospital, where it was found that he was suffering from a possible fracture of the skull.

The accident occurred shortly after 8.45 last night. Hose 13, which is quartered in Central street, was answering an alarm from box 415 and Tracy was standing in the rear of the truck. As it swung into Gorham street from Central he lost his hold and fell to the ground.

The alarm was sounded for a fire in a house in St. James street, which is in process of being remodelled. The fire started under a sink in the kitchen and spread through the partitions, causing about $500 damage before being extinguished.

Chief Saunders investigated the fire and as a result requested the police department to investigate it also. Chief Thomas R. Atkinson and Lt. Martin Maher of the police department went there this morning and will continue the investigation during the late afternoon.

ATTEND HEARINGS AT STATE HOUSE

George H. Gurney and Bernard D. Ward of the Lowell postoffice and Representatives Slowey and Brennan of Lowell yesterday appeared before the hearing board at the state house to speak in favor of proposed postal wage increases.

Another bill hearing attended by Rep. Slowey was that on his project to permit the pensioning of matrons in the employ of the city of Lowell. The committee took the matter under advisement.

HAS NEW AUTOMOBILE

Water Works Superintendent Robert Gardner has a new car, a Hupmobile sedan, at present a part of the Hup exhibit at the automobile show at the Auditorium. The purchasing agent awarded the bid to the Hupmobile, based upon the proposal of Thomas Rafter, local agent, of $1550 with an allowance of $250 on an old Buick.

Big Seizure of Illegal Gaming Devices

Continued

for liquor. Investigation revealed no wet goods, but behind one of the counters the collection of "punch" boards was found. The alleged proprietor, when questioned later, denied all knowledge of ownership, claiming that the boards had been left in his shop by an unknown man. Several holes in the boards had been punched.

Included in the seizure was a large board containing 3000 chances at a nickel a punch. It was entitled "Alaskan Gold Mine." One of the prizes on this was $5 in cash. There were other cash awards also.

Another board contained the words, "Going home? Square yourself by taking a box of classy sweets. May cost 5 cents, not more than 16 cents." The prizes offered included three fountain pens, two pipes, one belt, two knives, two pencils, one lady's wrist watch, three stickpins, one pair of opera glasses, two cigaret cases and several small pieces of jewelry.

Health and Vitality for Women

Health and vitality can be yours without narcotics or drugs. Keeping well is largely a matter of keeping at bay those dread ailments peculiar to women as evidenced by headaches, nervousness, dragging-down pains, backache and irritability. For fifty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been overcoming such conditions and restoring sick and ailing women to health. It surely pays every suffering women to try it.—Adv.

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Why Cough Your Head Off

Make Your Own Cough Mixture for the Whole Family and Save Money—It's Easy

When you can make in your own home a wonderful cough mixture far ahead of any you can buy ready made, why not do it?

This home made mixture will stop the most stubborn cough and is fine for chest colds and acute catarrh. Children love it.

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Like a soothing, healing poultice one costly substance in this home made cough mixture spreads itself completely over the membrane of the throat. This causes the most stubborn hang-on cough to cease almost instantly. No ordinary slow-acting cough syrup contains this expensive ingredient.

Any remedy that overcomes catarrh, partially or wholly, is bound to be of benefit to those who are troubled with head noises and catarrhal deafness.

Get Parmint and get better.—Adv.

BOOK REVIEW AT EDUCATIONAL CLUB

An interesting review of R. H. Tawney's book, "Acquisitive Society" was given before the Educational club in Kitson hall yesterday afternoon by Rev. Leslie C. Bockes of the Church of All Nations.

The book, written by one of a group of English Quakers, who had been interested in industrial adjustment, is one which stands firmly for stabilized conditions in industry, so much so that it contends industry should be made a service to the community.

An outstanding feature of the book is to make society a profession. With doctors, ministers and lawyers who are in professions certain ideals which are of value are followed. So, it would be, the writer claims, if industry were raised to a profession.

Mrs. Elizabeth D. Leggat opened the business meeting and the reports of the previous meeting were read by the secretary Mrs. W. S. Jessop.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINER

Thure E. Gilinson, of 121 Andrews street, a carrier in the United States postoffice in Gorham street, has been appointed an examiner on the civil service board in Lowell, Postmaster Delisle announced this morning. He will succeed Harry J. Maguire in this position, the recent appointment of Mr. Maguire to the head of the Centralville sub-station having made it impossible for him to serve on the board any longer. In his new position Mr. Gilinson will conduct the examinations for appointment to government jobs held in the postoffice.

SEIZURE OF LAND

City Solicitor Patrick J. Reynolds conferred today with George Byam of the firm of Byam Bros., relative to the seizure of land owned by him in connection with the development of Highland park at Stevens, Wilder, B and Parker streets. The seizure now is in process of litigation, with Mr. Byam seeking a further award for damages.

Reduce Your Fat Without Dieting

Years ago the formula for fat reduction was "diet"—"exercise." Today it is "Take Marmola Prescription Tablets." Friends tell friends—these friends tell others. They eat substantial food, live as they like and still reduce steadily and easily without going through long sieges of tiresome exercise and starvation diet. Marmola Prescription Tablets are sold by all druggists the world over at one dollar for a box or if you prefer you can order direct from the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.—Adv.

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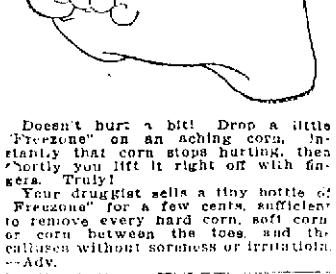

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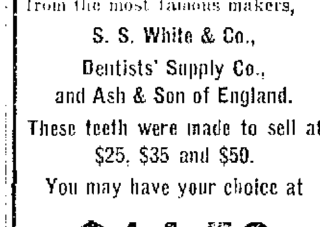

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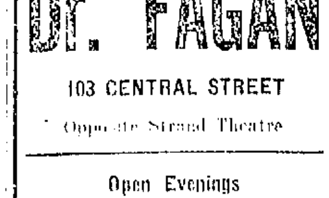

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MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Harry A. Lawrenson and Miss Helen E. Shea, two well known and popular residents of St. Peter's parish were married at St. Peter's rectory by Rev. Fr. Heffernan on January 23. Mr. Joseph Lawrenson, brother of the bridegroom, and Miss Katherine M. Shea attended the bridal couple. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Lawrenson left on an extended wedding trip and upon their

Rebel Forces Plan Guerilla Warfare

Continued

mate purpose of domination. In Mexico City dodgers making similar charges in huge type, have been secretly printed and distributed.

Complete official reports of the Esperanza victory are still unavailable although the war department has announced that 16 engines and 132 cars were captured during the recent offensive, including sixty cars loaded with food and ammunition and 57 with horses and automobiles. Railway service along the eastern front has been extended from Mexico City to Oriental, the department announces. Fighting is proceeding in the vicinity of Poncitlan, upon the Jalisco front, where the vanguard under Gen. Amaro is engaging the rear guard of the rebels under Gen. Alvaro, according to press despatches from Celaya, headquarters of Gen. Obregon. Poncitlan, the point of the federal advance has been reached, and the bridge over the Zula river burned during the rebel retreat, which makes it impossible for federal military trains to follow closely the loyal advance guard. Gen. Escobar's columns have reached Acambaro, the specials added and are pursuing the enemy, who have retired to Morelia.

Counter Attacks By Rebels

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Jan. 30. Rebels recently driven from Victoria, capital of Tamaulipas, counter-attacked yesterday, according to information received by representatives of the De la Huerta government here. The rebels have established headquarters at Padilla, 20 miles northwest of Victoria, and are attacking the capital with a large force, it was added.

Fighting at San Ferando, 60 miles below Matamoros, was resumed yesterday, a courier reported to the revolutionary representatives here. Reinforcements have been received, he said, and the rebels claim they again are holding the town.

Monterey despatches state that the entire federal garrison at Morelia, capital of Michoacan, was killed or captured, including Manuel W. Lopez, second in command under Gen. Amaro.

RADIO BROADCASTS

WGI, MEDFORD

5.30 p. m.—Closing market reports.
6 p. m.—Boston police reports.
6.15 p. m.—Code practice.
6.30 p. m.—Message to Camp Fire Girls by Charles W. Casson—Big Smoke.
7.20 p. m.—Science Up to Date.
7.30 p. m.—Evening Program.
Twenty-minute tragedy—Men Folk—by the Emerson Sketch club of Emerson college, comprising Myrtle E. Hutchins, Ethel R. Seakel and Hannah T. Kerwin.
8 p. m.—Talk on Aviation, by Harry D. Copeland. The Adventure of Snarling Bird Songs, by Chas. C. Gorst, under the auspices of the Massachusetts Audobon society.

WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m. Orchestra: organ recital from the Modern Theatre, talk, Hints for Motorists - Keeping the Car Fit in All Kinds of Weather, George Leghorn.
5 p. m.—The Day in Finance.
6 p. m.—Children's Half Hour, stories and music, Mrs. Wm. Keith Stewart.
6.30-7.30 p. m.—WNAC Dinner Dance, Crescent Garden orchestra.
8.10 p. m.—Broadcast from the Colonial Theatre, Earl Carroll's Vanities, orchestra under the direction of Leon Rosebrook.

WTAT, BOSTON

8 p. m.—Boston Police Traffic Division Band.

WTAM, CLEVELAND
770 Kc, 390 Meters

8 p. m.—WTAM orchestra; Des Finnegan, boy soprano; Mrs. H. A. Davis, lady baritone; Alice Flayhaven, xylophone; Mildred Kelly, accompanist; Mrs. M. J. Sweeney, soprano.

WGY, SCHENECTADY

6 p. m.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins.
6.30 p. m.—Adventure Story, Silent Night.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

6.30 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Pittsburgh Athletic association orchestra.
7.30 p. m.—Address.
7.45 p. m.—The children's period.
8 p. m.—Farm market reports.
8.15 p. m.—A Day at the Famous Baths of Vichy, Grayce Druitt Latus.
8.30 p. m.—At this time KDKA will present a concert of very unusual character. The details will be announced by Radio.
9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals. Weather forecast.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

6 p. m.—Dinner concert by the WBZ quintet.
7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story for the kiddies. Humorous program.
9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals.
11 p. m.—Program of chamber music by the WBZ quintet.

WRC, WASHINGTON

5.15 p. m.—Instruction in international code.
6 p. m.—Children's hour by Peggy Albion.
Note—This station will be silent Wednesday evening during the broadcasting of the concert of the Philharmonic orchestra from New York by WCAP.

WJZ, NEW YORK
660 Kc, 455 Meters

3 p. m.—Recital of Peggy McGraw, soprano.
4 p. m.—The Home Beautiful, by Dorothy Ethel Walsh.
4.30 p. m.—Tea concert by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.
5.30 p. m.—Closing market reports.
7 p. m.—Children's period.
7.30 p. m. Dance program by Cafe Boulevard orchestra.
7.45 p. m.—The Progress of the World.
8 p. m.—Dance program continued.
8.30 p. m.—The Dock Department, by the Hon. John Delaney, commissioner of the department of docks of the city of New York; one of the City Official Series of talks.
8.45 p. m.—Hanna von Vollenhoven, noted pianist.
9.15 p. m.—Dr. Margaret E. Noonan, Natural Ways In Which Children Learn.
9.30 p. m.—Dance program of the Maxwell band.
9.55 p. m.—Time signals and weather forecast.
10 p. m.—Results of Millrose Athletic association meet, by Maj. J. Annesley White.
10.15 p. m.—Dance program continued.
10.45 p. m.—James F. Nash, lyric tenor.
11.15 p. m.—Results of the Millrose Athletic association meet.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA

6 p. m.—Bedtime stories.
6.30 p. m.—Meyer Davis Concert orchestra.

WOO, PHILADELPHIA

7.30 p. m.—Dinner music from Hotel Adelphia Concert orchestra.
8.30 p. m.—Mrs. Guy Stewart McCabe, character songs.
8.45 p. m.—WOO orchestra, George R. Miller, baritone, George Powell, accompanist.
9.55 p. m.—Time signal and weather forecast.
10.10 p. m.—Organ recital.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE

5 p. m.—Selections by the Walnut Theatre orchestra; police bulletins, weather forecast; Just Among Home Folks; selections by the Strand theatre orchestra, late important news bulletins and market reports.
6 p. m.—Time announced.
8.30 to 10 p. m.—Concert under the auspices of Mme. Cara Sapin, of the Louisville Conservatory of Music; late important news bulletins; time announced.

WCAE, PITTSBURGH

6.30 p. m.—Dinner concert by William Penn Hotel orchestra.
7.30 p. m.—Children's period.
8 p. m.—Dancing lesson.
8.30 p. m.—Musical program.

WOR, NEWARK

6.15 to 6.50 p. m.—Music While You Dine by Ernie Krickett and his orchestra.
6.50 p. m.—Radio for the Layman.
8 p. m.—Addresses by Alpheus Geer and William J. Stuart.
8.15 p. m.—Recital by the American trio.
8.30 to 9 p. m.—Arthur Murray's dancing lessons.
9 p. m.—Continuation of the recital by the American trio.
9.15 p. m.—Clarence Mulford will talk about his western experiences.
9.45 p. m.—Scouting a Factor in National Safety by Lew R. Palmer.
10 p. m.—Continuation of the recital by the American trio.
10.15 p. m.—Program under the direction of H. Emerson Yorke, soprano solos, Ethel Fyne; tenor solos, Joseph White; soprano solos, Fritzie Leighton.

WILL MEET TO DISCUSS THE BONUS

A meeting of all ex-service men and American legion members of Massachusetts will be held in Mechanics hall, Boston, on Sunday, Feb. 3, at 3 o'clock, for the consideration of means by which a bonus or adjusted compensation may be attained. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, state commander of the legion, will preside. The general public is also invited to attend.

The speakers who will talk on the subject of compensation for veterans are Hanford MacNider, past national commander; Aaron Sapiro, chairman of the Legion legislative committee in Washington; Senator David I. Walsh and James T. Williams of the Boston Transcript.

Members of the state legislature, Mayor Curley of Boston, and Senator Henry Cabot Lodge also have been invited to attend.

WESTFORD HAS LARGEST CAUCUS IN HISTORY

More than [illegible] voters attended Westford citizens' caucus, Monday evening, the largest similar meeting ever held in [illegible] town. Frank L. Furbush defeated [illegible] Hildreth for selectman nomination. Arthur G. Hildreth won the nom[illegible] over Martha Whitney, George F. [illegible] and N. Mabel Drew for school [illegible] Greenan, Leonard W. Wheeler [illegible] the tax collectorship nomination [illegible] Arthur L. Healy; Joseph [illegible] was nominated for constable [illegible] William Wall and John F. [illegible]

[illegible] officers nominated without [illegible] were the following: Town [illegible] Charles L. Hildreth; assessor [illegible] H. Blake; overseer of the poor [illegible] H. Blodgett; trustees of public [illegible] A. Chemeron for three [illegible] William V. Rodenbush for one [illegible] commissioner, Wesley [illegible] board of health, P. [illegible] treasurer, Frederick H. [illegible] tree warden, Harry N. [illegible] auditor, Herbert E. Fletcher; Alfred [illegible] representative, was [illegible] chairman of the caucus and Frank [illegible], secretary.

OBSERVES HER 82ND BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Agnes Grant, a resident of North Billerica since 1914, yesterday observed the 82d anniversary of her birth at the [illegible] of her daughter, Mrs. Wallace [illegible] of Twombly avenue. Many relatives and neighbors called to pay respects and tender gifts.

The octogenarian was born in Garsc[illegible], Scotland, Jan. 29, 1842, leaving her native land in 1864 for Canada, where she made her home in Scotstown, [illegible] for many years. After her marriage, she came to North Billerica. Mrs. [illegible]'s health is excellent.

BIG MEETING LAST EVENING AT Y. W. C. A.

The Merrimack Valley association of [illegible] met last evening in the Y. M. C. A. with representatives present from [illegible], Haverhill and Lowell. Bruce [illegible] as president of the Lowell branch, presided over the meeting, at which several interesting speakers were heard. [illegible] conference voted to hold its 1925 meeting in Haverhill next January.

James Cookson, Lawrence physical director, outlined a program of work for leaders and George Listman, state physical directors' society secretary, spoke on the future work of the leaders. Donald R. MacIntyre, Lowell school physical director, told of the possibilities that lie in physical education for instructors. Otis W. Butler, on behalf of the Lowell club welcomed the conference to this city and told of work that has been done by the leaders here in the past year. Walter Mazzey recounted stories of old timers in the work here. The ideals of the organization were outlined in the final address by Harold F. Howe, general secretary of the Lowell Y.M.C.A., in his talk on "Association Objectives."

The Lowell Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 4000. Imagine the Auditorium filled to capacity 20 times and you will get some idea of the number of people who read The Sun daily, and 50 per cent of the 80,000 readers of The Sun take no other Lowell newspaper.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Office of the Secretary
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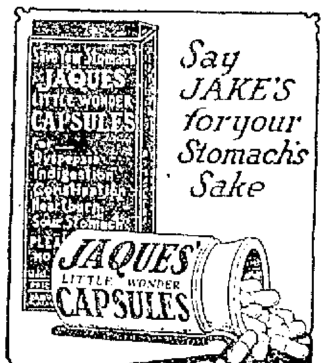

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GAS PRICES RISE WITH INCREASING USE AND WASTAGE OF MOTOR FUEL

BY ISRAEL KLEIN
N.E.A. Service Writer

The gradually rising cost of gasoline holds out little hope for the motorist.

It is the inevitable reaction to the reductions in prices that stirred the nation late last summer. It was expected throughout oil and automobile circles, because it had been understood that the revolt for lower fuel costs was too unusual to last long.

Prices were expected to rise again, although not to the peak of 1923.

The cause for this return to former prices is seen in reports of consumption of gasoline not only in the United States, but throughout the world. Besides producing for this country's automobiles, the oil fields of the United States have been sending out more and more of their product to other countries.

Heretofore production of gasoline has been keeping ahead of consumption here and abroad. An oversupply of one billion gallons of fuel was reported last year. But this over-supply is seen to dwindle into practically none at all, with the growing demand for fuel from more and more new motorists, and the increasing exportation of American gasoline, with no importation at all.

To offset this threatening increase of consumption over production, in gasoline, several efforts are being made toward economizing in the use of the fuel. The U. S. bureau of mines leads in this attempt.

According to experts, from 3 to 4 per cent of the gasoline accumulated during the winter for summer supply is lost through evaporation. To prevent the loss of several hundred million gallons, the bureau of mines has been experimenting on various methods. One is the use of cooling systems in vapor-tight tanks, to check dissipation of the gas.

In the process of evaporation, the first fractions to escape are the most volatile, leaving an inferior fuel in the storage tanks.

A perfect fuel mixture consists of about .07 of a pound of gasoline to a pound of dry air. Yet most motorists use nearly twice as much fuel as necessary, say fuel engineers. This is one of the greatest factors in the present wastage of gasoline, they add.

Substitutes for gasoline are so many and so frequent that there need be no fear of any marked rise in fuel prices. If gasoline ever rises to inaccessible heights, even alcohol might be substituted at a cheaper rate.

The latest substitute is one devised by naval experts. It is about 70 per cent. gasoline and 30 per cent. denatured anhygrous alcohol, making a mixture efficient especially for aircraft use. It may result not only in a better, but a cheaper, fuel than the present high-test gasoline used for air travel.

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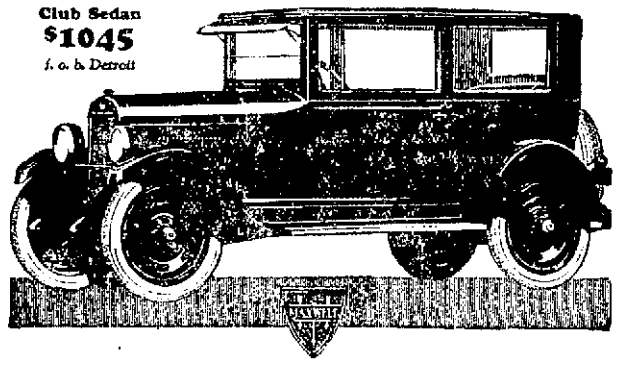

AUTO DEVELOPMENTS OF YEAR 1923

BY ISRAEL KLEIN
NEA Service Writer

The outstanding automotive improvements of the last year may be classed as follows:

1. Four-wheel brakes.
2. Balloon tires.
3. Traffic transmission.
4. Multiple-disc, self-adjusting clutch.
5. Perfected straight-eight.

Of these, only one may be considered an innovation—balloon tires. All the others have been tried out or used in less improved form in former years.

Balloon tires were thought of long before 1923, but they did not come into popular use until last fall. Taxicabs about Akron, O., had been running on these soft-cushion, low-inflated tires for thousands of miles, just to test them. Now they are being adopted quickly on all sorts of automobiles.

The popularity of these tires is still to manifest itself, for they have not yet been offered to the public without reserve. The tire engineers are still striving to gain the utmost perfection on them before being adapted to general use.

Just as tire manufacturers have been reluctant to release their new product until fully improved, so have the advocates of four-wheel brakes been installing their inventions on more and more automobiles, despite persistent controversy and doubt. There hasn't been as much discussion against the balloon tire as against the four-wheel brake system, yet it is the latter that has taken the chance of testing public approval or disapproval.

Apparently the public has taken in the improvement with outspread arms. Even some of the automotive engineers and manufacturers who had been outspoken against the wisdom of such an improvement have succumbed to their lure.

The traffic transmission, installed in the new Chandler, is nothing new. It was tried out by pioneer manufacturers. Now, perfected and improved, it comes forth as a relief for the nervous motorist who winces at rasping gears.

Shifting is accomplished by an internal form of transmission, but there are no gears to mesh. All gears are already intermeshed. So that there are no grating gears, and no danger of stripping them—making driving safe for the most unaccomplished motorist.

Packard has succeeded in perfecting its straight-eight engine to a nicety. Perfect balance and freedom from vibration has been secured through a singular design of the crankshaft. The moving parts are in such perfect balance, it is said, that the engine needs bolting only to support its weight, while others have to be held rigidly to the frame to absorb some of the excessive vibration.

The multiple-disc, self-adjusting clutch, on the new Cole, is another solution to the problem of making gear-shifting easy and silent.

Tendency to clatter, grab or disturb is practically obliterated, say Cole engineers. The interwoven corded fabric and steel plate makes for longer wear. The six springs back of the eleven plates keep these smugly together, so that the clutch works evenly all around.

Among other important developments in automotive manufacture during 1923, may be included:

1. The business type of sedan or coupe, which motorists may use for business or pleasure. The seats and their backs are removable, so that merchandise can be packed into the car, as into a truck, or they may be placed together, to make a bed for the occupant.

2. Mechanical gear-shifting—although this has been in long use on many cars has come in for added improvement. It is another means of making driving easy for the motorist.

3. Air cleaner, designed for the 1924 Rickenbacker, to remove dust and dirt from the air before it enters the carburetor. Incoming air is blown against a cone-shaped head that deflects the dust and dirt, and allows only clean air to be drawn in. Less carbon deposit in the cylinders and less liability to scale and score the walls are claimed as benefits.

SENIOR COURT OF HONOR

Thirty Boy Scouts Examined for Advanced Rating and Merit Badges

The Senior Court of Honor, Boy Scouts of America, met last evening in the rooms of the chamber of commerce and examined 30 boys for advanced rating and merit badges. This is the largest group that has been put through at one time since the movement was revived in Lowell. The following boys were given second class scout ratings: Troop 2, John Murphy, George Barrett; Troop 9, Albert West, Herbert Abrams, John Montgomery; Troop 15, Daniel Walker, Donald Kimball, Earl Pollard, Linwood Norton, George Garfield, George Young, Walter Bishop; Troop 18, Raymond Baxter; Troop 51, Richard Collins; Troop 1, Billerica, Oliver Damon, Chester Ruston and Reginald Baker.

Four boys were advanced from second to first class scouts, as follows: Troop 9, Harold Williams; Troop 10, Whitney Gray; Dracut, Troop 1, Merrill Huntley and Stuart Hovey.

The following merit badges were awarded, Troop 10, Erson Barlow for first aid, Richard Gray for first aid, firemanship and animal first aid; John Lambert, Jr., for cycling, civics and firemanship; Wendell Smith for firemanship; Harry Speel for first aid to animals, and Warren Vanderburgh for civics, first aid and firemanship; Troop 1, Dracut, Edward Maddocks, for music and chemistry, and Arthur Wells for first aid, craftsmanship and cooking.

SHOWING NEW CADILLAC SEDAN

Two new closed body styles on the standard V-63 chassis are announced as additions to the 1924 line of the Cadillac Motor Co. The new models are a seven-passenger sedan and a four-passenger Victoria-Coupe. This sedan, which is on display at the show—by George R. Dana & Son, is offered at $3585 and the Victoria, which will soon be in the hands of distributors, will be priced at $3275. These extraordinarily low prices represent a signal accomplishment through the combined efforts of Cadillac and Fisher Body corporation engineers.

Cadillac closed bodies of aluminum have always appealed to a large group usually requiring a body individually built to order. The additional new all-steel bodies have been created to meet the demands of a still larger group of buyers who desire Cadillac quality both in chassis and body, and yet are willing to yield something of exclusive individuality to obtain Cadillac values in a standard-built body.

The external lines and internal dimensions of the seven-passenger sedan are nearly identical with those of the seven passenger Suburban de Luxe. The color is an attractive dark blue with carmine striping, and with black panelling around the windows. The bodies are very comfortably upholstered in a beautiful worsted cloth with headlining to match in color, and the garnish moldings are genuine walnut.

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Allied Heads Exchange Notes

(Continued)

new head of the British government picked up the thread of Franco-British relations at the point where it was broken after the interview between Mr. Baldwin and Premier Poincare in Paris last autumn, says the Daily Telegraph. It adds that the letter was dispatched in accordance to the British statesman's aversion to the traditional methods of diplomacy and his preference for more direct means of negotiations.

The letter written as soon as Mr. Macdonald was installed in Downing street was delivered through Lord Crewe, the British ambassador at Paris. It informed M. Poincare that the new government had been organized, say the newspapers, and remarked with perfect candor that relations between the two countries for several well understood reasons had ceased to be as friendly as formerly and that public opinion in Great Britain viewed the French policy with a certain degree of suspicion being somewhat nervous about what might happen in Europe.

The prime minister then, according to the Daily Telegraph, expressed a willingness "to meet Poincare half way in an attempt to achieve a final, complete and clear settlement." He also voiced the hope that the French government in the same conciliatory spirit would be ready to discuss all outstanding questions.

M. Poincare's answer, asserts the newspaper, was awaited with some anxiety lest the approach should not have been well received, but it seems that the answer was sympathetic, giving rise to a hope for a better atmosphere for a discussion of troubles some issues between the two nations.

THE BIG SHOW

PEOPLE of all generations are intensely interested in any means of transportation they can personally own and master. Years ago it was the horse. Prize Bobbins competed at the horse show and were admired in stall and applauded on the racetrack at county fairs. Other exhibits there were, but the horse furnished the Big Thrill.

We still have horse shows and county fairs. But the auto has eclipsed the horse.

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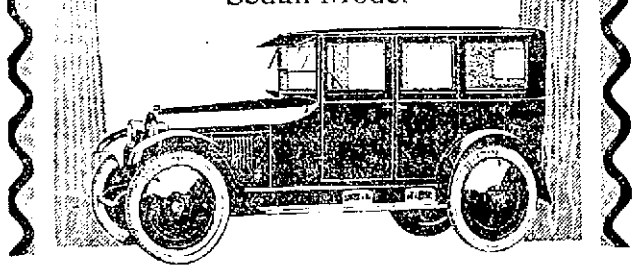

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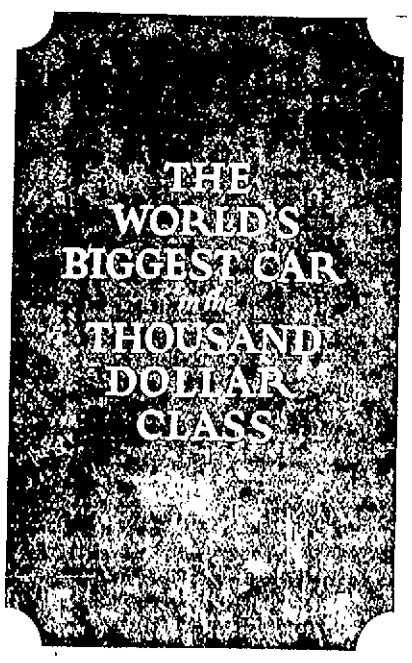

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ANDERSON MAY APPEAL VERDICT

Dry Leader Convicted on Two Counts of Forgery in the Third Degree

Expected to Appeal Before Feb. 8, the Date Set for His Sentence

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Dry leaders today intimated that William H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league of New York, convicted by a jury before Supreme Court Justice Tompkins last night on two counts of an indictment charging appeal the verdict by Feb. 8, the date third degree forgery, probably would set for pronouncement of sentence.

It was pointed out that George Z. Medalie, who has argued many cases before the appellate division, had been at the defense counsel table for the last few days of the trial which began a week ago Monday.

Anderson received unflinchingly the verdict which was returned after the jury had deliberated an hour and forty minutes. With the consent of Assistant District Attorney Pecora, the prosecutor, bail of $5000 in which the dry leader has been at liberty since the indictment was returned, was continued.

Former Governor Charles S. Whitman, chief defense counsel, in his summation stressed the contention that changes in the league's books, made at Anderson's direction, meant no loss to the league while Mr. Pecora argued the changes were made for income tax evasion and that the federal and state governments and the league had been defrauded.

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The changes, on which the indictment was based, involved transfer of $4400 from the salarw account of O. Bertsall Phillips, a collector for the league, to Phillips' expense account after it had been agreed that Phillips and Anderson were to "split" the former's annual commission in excess of $10,000 annually.

Mr. Pecora's summation stressed Anderson's account that he had been given about $25,000 by a mysterious John T. King, which money had been expended in a league publicity campaign by an equally mysterious Henry Mann. He asserted the story strained credibility.

The extreme statutory penalty for the conviction is five years in the penitentiary but members of the district attorney's staff asserted first offenders sometimes were given six months sentences.

EDITH KELLY GOULD SUES

Former Wife of Frank J. Gould Wants Half of Gould's Property in France

VERSAILLES, Jan. 30.—Edith Kelly Gould, former wife of Frank J. Gould, has asked the courts to grant her the right to half of Mr. Gould's property in France, or about 800,000,000 francs.

She contends that inasmuch as she and her former husband had a domicile in France and that as no special deed of settlement was executed at the time of the marriage specifying that each retained control of their individual estates, the French law of the community of property between husband and wife should apply. On the dissolution of the marriage the plaintiff avers, she was entitled to one-half.

On the contrary, Mr. Gould maintains that inasmuch as both were American citizens when married in England, the American law alone is applicable.

A hearing has been set for March 19.

BRIGHT LEATHER

Leather, particularly in bright tones, is used on the serges and jerseys that the smart flappers are wearing.

BURNS PROVE FATAL

Miss Fairfield, Independent Coal Dealer, Died at Salem Hospital Today

SALEM, Jan. 30.—Miss Charlotte Fairfield, aged 60, independent coal dealer, died at the Salem hospital this morning as a result of burns sustained Monday morning at her home, 13 Pleasant street, when her dress caught fire from a gas heater in the kitchen. She beat out the fire with her hands and calmly walked to the telephone and asked a friend, Miss Edith Hayward, who lives near, to come to her assistance. Miss Hayward responded and Miss Fairfield was removed to the hospital. Although severely burned about the hands, head and body, it was not thought they would prove fatal, but last night she began to sink rapidly.

In 1903, Miss Fairfield attracted attention by withdrawing from the Salem Coal club and starting as an independent dealer, cutting the price. She leaves no immediate relatives the nearest being a niece.

MAN RESCUES HIS WIFE AT BRATTLEBORO FIRE

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Jan. 30.—In a fire which destroyed the house and barn in West Wendham, owned and occupied by Ray Richardson, about midnight last night, Mrs. Richardson was taken in her night clothing through a window by her husband, other avenues of escape having been cut off. The other members of the family were away from home temporarily. The cause of the fire is not known. Mr. Richardson was awakened by the explosion of rifle cartridges in the kitchen cupboard and started to give a telephone alarm, but was driven back by the flames and went at once to the rescue of his wife. The all of the house was then in ruins. Two horses lost their lives. The property loss was about $2000. There was small insurance.

REP. JEWETT OPPOSED TO LAWRENCE MEASURE

(Special to The Sun.)

STATE HOUSE, Jan. 30.—Rep. Victor F. Jewett of Lowell at a hearing today before the committee on railroads opposed the request of J. P. S. Mahoney of Lawrence for legislative sanction which would allow the City of Lawrence to borrow money outside its debt limit for the elimination of a grade railroad crossing and the erection of a new depot. Rep. Jewett, as republican floor leader and chairman of the speaker's cabinet, contended that such a request is out of line with the law which allows cities to borrow outside the debt limit for certain improvements. HOYT.

POLICE CHIEF HURLEY, NOTED DIVER, DEAD

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Jan. 30.—Well known for his feats as a diver as well as for his official career, Chief of Police Michael Hurley died here today in his 68th year. He joined the force as a patrolman in 1895, and became chief 10 years ago.

Among Hurley's feats as a diver was the recovery of the bodies of fourteen young women drowned in a pleasure boat off the Isles of Shoals. In searching for the bodies, he descended 75 feet, a record in this district.

The Lowell Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 4000. Imagine the Auditorium filled to capacity 20 times and you will get some idea of the number of people who read The Sun daily, and 90 per cent of the 80,000 readers of The Sun take no other Lowell newspaper.

PARDON FOR LT. GRIFFIS

American Officer Imprisoned in Germany for Attempt to Kidnap Bergdoll

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Corliss H. Griffis, the American who attempted to kidnap Grover Cleveland Bergdoll in Germany has been released from prison by the German government. The state department was so advised today.

It is understood that the Berlin government acted after it had been informed of sentiment in the United States.

Griffis will be returned at once to the United States. The state department's cable from the Berlin embassy merely reported the fact of his release, adding that he would take first available transportation from Germany to this country.

NO HEARING TODAY ON BOK PEACE AWARD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. Because of the absence of Senator Reed, democrat, Missouri, the senate committee investigating the Bok peace award held no session today. It is planned to resume hearings tomorrow. Miss Esther Everett Lape, in charge of the policy committee of the award, has questioned the authority of the committee to delve into the process by which the winning peace plan was selected. Thus far, the point has not been decided.

Fall Unable to Attend Hearing

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the purpose of his return to Washington.

At the house end of the capitol the naval committee began a hearing on the disposition made of royalty oils from the Doheny and Sinclair leases with navy department officials as witnesses.

Besides the Walsh annulment resolution, passage of which is expected today, the senate has on its waiting list resolutions asking for removal of Secretary Denby and Attorney General Daugherty; one proposing to reassert title to oil land in California held by Standard Oil; and one appropriating $100,000 for the court prosecutions, amended today in committee to provide that the special counsel employed must be confirmed by the senate.

Fall Unable to Testify

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Physicians attending Albert B. Fall told the senate oil committee today that the former interior secretary is in no condition to appear before it and testify.

The hearing was behind closed doors and details were not divulged. It was learned, however, that the doctors related how Mr. Fall had remained in his room continuously since his arrival in Washington last Thursday night, had shown little if any improvement from day to day, and had reached a stage of nervous exhaustion threatening collapse.

Committee members questioned the witnesses at length regarding the cause of this condition, but the replies were not made public. The physicians insisted that it would be inadvisable under all the circumstances to attempt to take the former secretary to the capitol for questioning.

The purpose of the hearing was to enable the committee to decide whether it would call Mr. Fall before it or appoint a sub-committee to examine him in his sickroom, as suggested by his counsel.

To Adopt Resolution

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—While the senate approached a vote today on the naval oil lease annulment resolution, department of justice officials assembled information obtained through observation of testimony taken by the investigating committee for presentation to the special counsel named by President Coolidge to act for the government in court proceedings growing out of the inquiry.

Selection of Silas H. Strawn of Chicago, republican, and Thomas W. Gregory of Austin, Tex., democrat, as the special counsel, announced last night, had relieved the pressure on the White House to some extent, but Secretary Denby, who signed the leases with former Secretary Fall of the interior department and Attorney General Daugherty, remained under fire in the senate.

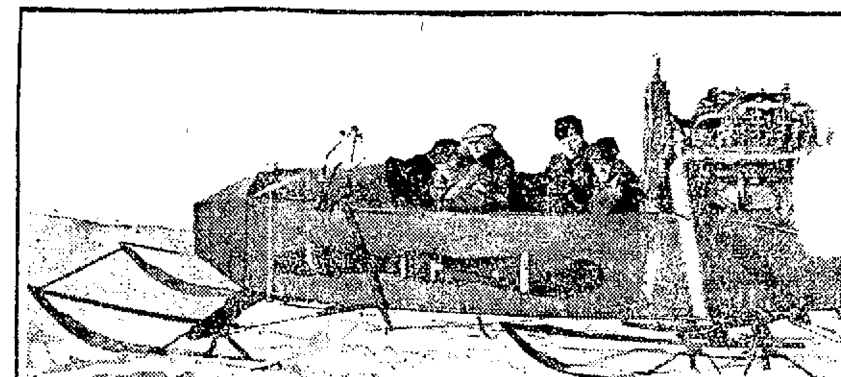
The senate investigating committee, meanwhile, met to question physicians attending Mr. Fall, who has been confined at the home of J. W. Zevely since his arrival here for examination as to various financial transactions and the house naval committee also took a hand in the situation seeking information from Secretary Denby and other officials of the navy and interior departments in an effort to determine whether the oil leases served the best interests of the government.

A resolution by Representative Fairchild, republican, New York, pending in the house, proposes cancellation of the leases without court action, differing in that respect from the Walsh resolution before the senate which requests the president to institute proceedings in the courts to annul the leases and prosecute any person found guilty of wrong doing in connection with the transactions.

The senate committee, in addition to asking Fall's physicians about his health and the possibility of his early appearance, also had called upon Director Bain of the bureau of mines to present data as to the disposal of storage oil from naval reserve No. 1, in California and of royalty oil from the Salt Creek field.

Mr. Strawn, who describes himself as "interested," but never active in politics, and Mr. Gregory, attorney general for [illegible] and one half years during the Wilson administration, are not expected to [illegible] their work together until the [illegible] part of the week, with the latter [illegible] to arrive from Texas. Mr. Strawn came here yesterday and held a preliminary conference with the president [illegible] the day.

Senate discussion of the Walsh resolution [illegible] burdened with political [illegible] centering chiefly [illegible] President Coolidge, Secretary Denby, Atty. Gen. Daugherty, already had proceeded [illegible] when it was [illegible] today, [illegible] vote was in prospect before [illegible] with adoption of the measure [illegible] regarded as a foregone conclusion. Mr. Coolidge, it is thought, then will submit the names of Mr. Strawn and Mr. Gregory for approval [illegible] he may await action on the [illegible] appropriation [illegible] [illegible] activities, which already [illegible] adopted by the house and [illegible] before the senate appropriations committee.



FIT YOUR MOTOR IN BACK OF A SLEIGH AND LET 'ER GO

If you have to drive over snow-laden roads, why not put your auto engine in back of a sleigh, fit a propeller on the crankshaft and go? This is the kind of vehicle you might build. It's designed by the Wing Brothers, St. Ignace, Mich. The sleigh can make more than 70 miles an hour and can run down to about three miles an hour, say its designers.

LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

Husband Charged With Non-Support and Assault—Other Cases

Michael S. Forsley, charged with assault and battery on his wife and also with non-support, was adjudged guilty on the first and not guilty on the second charge in district court today. His wife stated that he struck her with a wash-basin when she objected to his using the table-cloth for a towel while shaving. He also struck her seven or eight times, she said with his fist. Mrs. Forsley's mother corroborated her daughter's story.

Forsley denied striking his wife, but admitted having what he termed an "argument" with her. He claimed that the mother was responsible for the rupture in the family happiness. As far as not supporting his wife, he said, he gave her weekly sums which she promptly deposited in a bank and then asked for more.

On the assault and battery complaint, he was sentenced to four months in the house of correction. $300 for his appearance in superior. He appealed and bonds were set at court.

Suspended Sentence

A sentence of four months in the house of correction, suspended for six months, on condition that he make restitution in the amount of $36 for damages caused by the smashing of a bevel plate glass in the door of the Plaza lunch last night, was imposed on Geo. Higgins in district court this morning. Defendant was charged with drunkenness and breaking glass. The drunkenness charge was filed with an adjudication of guilty.

Another Glass Crash

A sentence of three months in the house of correction, suspended for a year, was imposed on Thomas Hochnyk, charged with breaking three panes of glass in a house in Chestnut street on Jan. 21. According to the testimony, defendant put his fist through three windows because he was refused admittance by a young widow. Restitution for damages was made.

Drunkenness Docket

James F. Thomas, Orle Van Valkenberg and Margaret Freeman appeared on drunkenness charges and were found guilty. The trio was arrested in Van Valkenberg's house in Davis street, last night, by Officers Patrick Connolly and Patrick Leavitt, who went there as the result of complaints made by neighbors. Officer Connolly told the court that the two men and the woman were drunk and boisterous.

Thomas was given a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction, while Van Valkenberg and the Freeman woman were continued until tomorrow.

John McEntee, drunkenness, was found guilty and continued for sen-

JOHN C. PIHL STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

John C. Pihl of 31 Lundberg street was injured early last evening when he was struck by an automobile operated by Everett B. Dunkerly of East Chelmsford while crossing Gorham street. He was removed to St. John's hospital in the ambulance.

According to the report of the accident, Mr. Dunkerly drove his machine to the left of an electric car which had stopped to discharge passengers. As the machine came abreast of the car, Mr. Pihl stepped from in front of the car and was struck by the mudguard of the machine.

Mr. Pihl is reported today at St. John's hospital to be resting comfortably.

VENIZELOS' WIFE CALLED TO HIS BEDSIDE

ATHENS, Jan. 30.—By the Associated Press. The condition of Premier Venizelos, who was striken ill during a heated debate in the national assembly yesterday is such as to cause cancellation of all engagements for 10 days, and his wife has been summoned from Paris. The attack, which took the form of heart trouble, is said by his physicians to have resulted from his extremely nervous condition, amounting almost to a breakdown. While the premier's condition is not regarded as grave, his friends are concerned over the possibility that he will be obliged to relinquish active political leadership. An extraordinary cabinet meeting, was held this morning to consider the measures necessary to carry on the government in Venizelos' absence.

MRS. HARRIMAN GRANTED DIVORCE

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Louise B. Harriman has been granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Oliver Carley Harriman, stock broker, polo player and son of Oliver Harriman, the banker, supreme court Justice Taylor revealed today. Mrs. Harriman was awarded the custody of her two children. An unnamed young woman of New York was named correspondent in the divorce action.

TO INVESTIGATE SHIPPING BOARD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Democratic leaders in the house announced today they would attempt to have a special committee appointed to investigate the affairs of the shipping board.

FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

Trial of Mrs. De Bouchel, Against Asa G. Chandler, Set for Today

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 30.—Trial of the suit of Mrs. Onezina De Bouchel of New Orleans against Asa G. Candler, Sr., Atlanta soft drink magnate, for $500,000 for alleged breach of promise set for today in federal district court, is expected to be bitterly contested. Attorneys early today refused to discuss the probable length of the trial but a number of witnesses have been summoned.

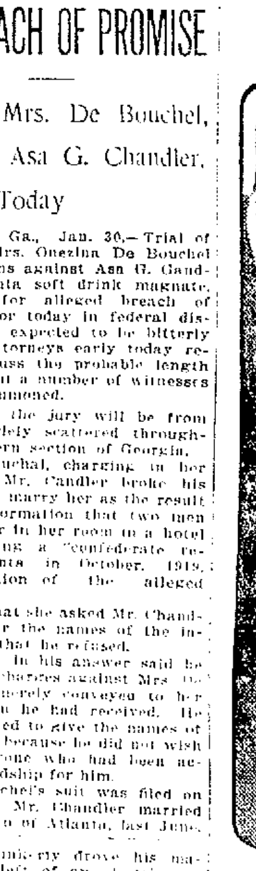
Selection of the jury will be from veniremen widely scattered throughout the northern section of Georgia.

Mrs. De Bouchel, charging in her petition that Mr. Candler broke his engagement to marry her as the result of alleged information that two men had visited her in her room in a hotel at night during a "confederate reunion in Atlanta in October, 1919, seeks vindication of the alleged charges."

She stated that she asked Mr. Chandler to give her the names of the informants and that he refused.

Mr. Chandler in his answer said he did not make charges against Mrs. De Bouchel, but merely conveyed to her the information he had received. He stated he refused to give the names of his informants because he did not wish to involve anyone who had been actuated by friendship for him.

Mrs. De Bouchel's suit was filed on Feb. 17, 1922. Mr. Chandler married Miss R. A. Egan of Atlanta, last June.



"GENIUS"

Henry Cowell of California, shown here, has just returned from Europe after a successful tour which has set music lovers up in arms over his methods. He uses his fists, fingers and elbows and yanks the strings inside the instrument. Modernists call him a genius. Others say he is all wrong.

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OBJECTS TO CITY GOVERNMENTS INTERFERING WITH SCHOOLS

Superintendent of Schools of Fall River Voices Severe Condemnation of City Government's Interference With Conduct of School Departments

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Severe condemnation of the "growing habit" of city governments in interfering with the conduct of the school department in their respective cities was voiced yesterday afternoon by Hector L. Belisle, superintendent of schools of Fall River, at a hearing before the legislative committee on education.

The subject under consideration was the "hardy annual" bill to raise from fourteen to sixteen years the age at which children may leave school and go to work. Superintendent Belisle expressed himself as in hearty accord with the purpose of the bill, but insisted that it is entirely wrong in principle because it is an attempt to place upon the public schools a burden which they are not equipped to maintain.

"As a matter of fact," he declared, "the education structure of the commonwealth is slowly breaking down, chiefly because the school department is subjected constantly to interference from members of city governments and others. There is a constant meddling. We are constantly being asked to do this, or to do that, but there is seldom any effort to give us the money to do things with.

"Take my own city for an example. In 1921 the city of Fall River was authorized to borrow $1,500,000 for the construction of new school buildings. The mayor at that time disagreed with the school committee, and he declined to make the loan. His successor has done nothing since he came into office. Hence three years have elapsed since this legislature decided that we need additional school buildings, yet not a spadeful of earth has been turned."

He said his criticism was not intended to be directed at either political party to the exclusion of the other. "It's just due to the contrariness of human nature," he said, "and I have not observed that that condition is confined to any particular party."

He opposed the school age bill as one which would not only place a tremendous burden upon the schools, by forcing back to school all boys and girls between fourteen and sixteen years of age, but as one which would work great hardship upon many parents. In Fall River, in particular, he said, many families are forced to depend to a considerable extent upon the earnings of children between sixteen and eighteen. Many fathers have come to him, he said, and stated that it was absolutely necessary to take boys or girls out of school to earn something toward the household expenses.

He expressed the opinion that the time will come when every child will be kept in school until the age of eighteen is reached, and he conceded that it would be a great boon to children when it arrives, but he predicted that it will come only when the state decides to compensate the parents of those between sixteen and eighteen for the loss of the wages which they might earn.

Dr. Payson Smith, commissioner of education, told the committee that the conclusions of school authorities of the entire commonwealth last year was that the time is not yet ripe for the legislation. He advocated passage of an act providing that the age be increased to fifteen years, and that the last year be devoted to continuation school courses. HOYT.

"MADAME BUTTERFLY"

Puccini's Colorful Opera at Auditorium Evening of February 18

"Madame Butterfly," the happy selection made for the single performance to be sung by the San Carlo Grand Opera Co. on the occasion of its visit to the Memorial Auditorium on Feb. 18, enjoys a peculiar place in musical history.

Essentially Japanese in locale and atmosphere, regarded by many operatic authorities as the outstanding triumph of the great Italian composer, Giacomo Puccini, and first sung in Italy, the opera found its way into literature by way of an American magazine and to the lyric stage as an adaptation from the American dramatic stage. Emphasizing this unique genesis, "Madame Butterfly" will be sung here in Italian by the greatest of Japanese prima donnas, Tamaki Miura.

Comparatively few realize that the pathetic legend of the little Japanese maid and her inconstant American lover was chrystalized as a story in a popular magazine, yet such was the case. It was written by John Luther Long and fell under the eye of David Belasco, who was quick to recognize its tremendous dramatic values. Long and Belasco developed a dramatic version, which found vogue with theatregoers and in turn attracted the attention of Puccini, flushed with the success he had achieved with "La Boheme" and "Tosca" and eager for a highly dramatic legend worthy of his musical genius.

About the pleintive and colorful story the master composer wove a gossamer creation of melody as dainty and atmospheric as the subject itself and as sublime as the tragedy with which it closes. Illica and Giacosa, whose lyrical treatment of "La Boheme" provided the frame over which Puccini draped his wonderful music in that great work, were entrusted with transforming "Madame Butterfly" into operative form. It is probable that they were responsible for the initial failure of the work through structural inconsistencies incidental to combining the action of the second act in one scene. In any event the premiere of "Madame Butterfly" at La Scala, Milano, in 1904, was marred by the work of Italy's musical idol being hooted by the audience.

Nearly a year was devoted to careful revision and rearrangement and when the opera was again submitted to the public it was in its present tabular form. This was at Brescia and "Madame Butterfly" was declared an unequivocal success, despite the earlier unfavorable verdict of a more important musical center.

A presentation at Covent Garden, London, followed almost immediately and proved such a triumph that the work was soon sung in every great musical center of the world—and everywhere with success. It was incorporated in the standard repertoire of all the great operatic organizations, including La Scala, and is accounted one of the most popular of grand operas. The greatest tenors of modern times have sung the role of Captain Pinkerton and dramatic sopranos have vied with each other for the title role.

Arias from "Madam Butterfly" are included in the repertoire of the leading concert and recital artists, and it is doubtful if there is a first class phonograph concern throughout the world that fails to include the great Puccini opera in its selections. "Amore o grillo," "Ancora un Passo," "Ieri son salita," "O quanti occhi fisi," "Un bel di vedremo," "Ora a voi," "Sai cos ebbe cuore," "Tutti i fior," "Vi lo dissi," "Lo so che alle sue pena," and the music of the death scene are among the most familiar selections that enjoy widest popularity.

DR. JOHN G. CRABBE DEAD

GREELEY, Colo., Jan. 30.—Dr. John Grant Crabbe, 59, president of the Colorado State Teachers' college here, died this morning from hardening of the arteries.

During 1912 and 1914, while a resident of Kentucky, where he was prominent as an educator, Dr. Crabbe was president of the National Education association.

COME TO CROSS ROADS ON NEW REVENUE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Republican members of the house ways and means committee came to the cross roads today in their consideration of the new revenue bill and were confronted with the necessity of deciding whether the income rates, the heart of the tax measure, are to be fixed in full committee or among themselves. The latter road presented the additional problem of determining the extent of difference between the rates they would name and those specifically recommended by Secretary Mellon.

The committee began its day's work by considering some of the technical features of the revenue bill which had not been disposed of at closing time yesterday.

Suburban Day at Auto Show

Continued

open arms or rather armsful of natty literature, telling all the whys, wherefores and hows of each and every sparkling motor car around the two "rings" and the big circular park in the main Auditorium, missed anybody.

No unnecessary room is wasted in the Auditorium this week. Find it if you can! Cars appear to be everywhere in the corridors, "back stage," in reception rooms, dressing rooms and rear circle sweep. You trot around gaily and find your favorite car and suddenly see another car peeking out at you through an open door into another back stage or corridor space. You investigate and find yourself peering into another section beyond. There are sometimes walls between, but the doors standing invitingly open and there is a glimpse of gay bunting or silk flags; streamers, containing advertising, palms, potted plants and, of course, in the immediate centre, position AAA, stands your next car and farther on another next, etc.

Do the show visitors escape seeing these cars hidden away behind partitions outside the main auditorium? They do not! The mezzanine floors can't hold them eternally. It is a moving picture of men and women, constantly on the go, eager to see the next car, attempting to see them all and, for the most part, getting a glimpse of each and every four-wheeled 1924 offering, with four-brakes, balloon tires, "cute" wind shields, all the new "first year's" and every blessed other new thing there is to discover.

There were no speakers last evening. Mayor James M. Curley sent regrets. Mr. Wilfred Kershaw continued his afternoon organ recitals, to the delight of music-lovers who appreciate Kershaw quality playing and Kershaw favorite selections. In the evening, the ten-piece orchestra offered a new program of popular airs mixed with more serious numbers that pleased the show-goers.

Perhaps the outstanding features of this year's automobile exposition at the Auditorium are the new balloon tires, the four-wheel brakes, the variegated and practically all new forms of both open and closed bodies, the low priced "sixes" and the improved types of engines.

From every viewpoint, the 1924 car—speaking in the aggregate category and singular—is cheaper, faster, better and more durably finished than any of its predecessors. The public this year will be able to purchase safer cars than were made last year, cars that use less fuel and carbonize less and "knock" less.

During the past year, manufacturers in many instances reduced the size of their engines, appreciating that high efficiency from a small engine is better than low efficiency from a large one. Automobile engineers, too, have taken more advanced steps to overcome the effects of dusty air and dirty gasoline and oil and now filter or purify these three important articles of their progeny's diet. Car designers have given more study to the effects of vibration this year also. Changes of design to reduce this evil are evident in the majority of improved types at the Auditorium this week.

Boy Scouts Do Policing

An interesting feature of the auto show aggregation of willing attendants and servitors on duty to provide information and other aid to visitors who seek help of any kind, is the delegation of Lowell Boy Scouts present each day from 1 to 9 p.m. Five brightly appearing and alert boys, fully uniformed even to slim baton and service emblems, are on regulation duty in the Auditorium and corridors. They are there to give assistance to anyone who needs information or guidance. They answer telephones, too; deliver messages, call taxicabs, help patrons to find their way about the Auditorium, deliver luncheons from the refreshment booths, locate lost articles and do about everything a wideawake, active and intelligent youngster can do to be of real service at an assemblage of elders.

The day's scout detail of five members has a representative from each of five different troops. The next day five more troops have single members present on regular duty. The work of the Boy Scouts—for it is work and not dull child's play—has been the admiration of all show visitors thus far this week. It is a pleasing example of well trained youth anxious to serve and considering it a real duty to serve in a Lowell community business cause.

Much of the credit for the excellent showing of the Lowell Boy Scouts at the Auditorium this week goes, of course, to the very efficient and hard working local chief scout executive, Mr. Edwin J. Mellen.

What about those rainbow colored balloons—hundreds of them—that soared dizzily all over the Auditorium last evening with excited show visitors holding the ends of tiny strings? Just a dramatic colorful donation for the good of the cause by the wideawake Prince-McCann company, advertising the Studebaker 1924 lines.

"Tomorrow night, "Governor's Night," brings in all probability Lieut. Gov. Alvan T. Fuller, who is to represent Gov. Channing Cox. Mr. Fuller attended last season's Lowell show and gave it fulsome praise.

MACARTNEY'S BASEMENT STORE

THURSDAY A. M. SALE

The Merchandise Listed Below is Priced for Special Clearance for Thursday Only

Boys' Black Stockings, former price 15c; sizes 5, 5½, 6, 6½, 7 and 7½. Thursday Special, **6 Pairs for** **50c**

Boys' All Wool Khaki Flannel Shirts, former price $2; sizes 12, 12½, 13, 13½ neck band. Thursday Special........**$1.35—2 for** **$2.50**

Boys' Percale Shirts, collar attached, former price 75c. Sizes 12, 12½, 13, 13½ neck band —Thursday Special......**59c—2 for** **$1.00**

Boys' 2-Pant Cheviot Suits—Pants lined; $5.00 value. Thursday Special...... **$2.98**

Boys' Russian-Style Overcoats—Sizes 4 years to 8 years; $5.00 value. Thursday Special, **$2.98**

Boys' School Overcoats—10 years to 18; plaid lined; former price $7.00. Thursday Special, **$4.98**

Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts—Thursday Special only....**69c—3 for** **$2.00**

Men's Corduroy Pants—$5.00 value. Thursday Special Only............ **$2.19**

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Women's Extra Size Flannelette Gowns, sizes 15, 18 and 19. $1.75 values $1.39

Sateen Princess Slips, in navy, brown and black, with bodice top. $1.50 values $1.19

Children's Flannelette Gowns, all sizes up to 16 years, $1.00 values.... 59c

A sample lot of Combinations, broken sizes, slightly soiled. 79c values.... 49c

Women's Sateen Petticoats, in all colors, with novelty flounce, $1.95 values $1.39

Women's Bloomers, in white, flesh, navy and black, 69c values.... 50c

Children's Flannelette Bloomers, all sizes, 50c values 29c

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Astrachan Jacquettes, gray and buff, fur trimmed or plain. Thursday Special......**$12.50**

Women's and Misses' Winter Coats, sport and dressy models, plain or with large fur collars. Thursday Special..........**$12.50**

Small Lot Women's Winter Suits, good styles, some fur trimmed; exceptional values. Thursday Special **$5**

SECOND FLOOR

Boys' All Wool Suits, good blue serge; sizes 3 to 8. Thursday Special..............**$1.98**

Boys' Flannel Shirst, khaki, gray, all wool; sizes 12½ to 14; $2 value. Thurs. Special **$1.50**

Boys' All Wool Sweaters, slip-on and coat style; brown, navy and combinations; $3 value. Thursday Special **$2.29**

Boys' Union Suits, gray, ecru, sample sizes; $1 and $1.50 value. Thursday Special....**79¢**

BASEMENT

SHOE DEPARTMENT

Odd Lot Women's High Shoes, black vici kid, military or low heels; many Goodyear welts; sizes 2½ to 6 in lot. Thursday Special **50¢**

Odd Lot Women's Tan Oxfords, Strap Pumps, with military or low heels; many Goodyear welts; all good styles; sizes 2½ to 8; values to $4. Thursday Special..........**$1.29**

Women's Sample Timbro Comfort Shoes, high lace, oxfords, juliets; many with hand-turn soles and rubber heels; sizes 4 to 5½; values to $3.50. Thursday Special **$1.39**

Men's Shoes, fine calfskin with oak leather soles, all Goodyear welts, neat English lasts; sizes 6 to 11; width A to C; $5 values. Thursday Special **$1.50**

Children's Shoes, black, tan, lace and button styles; some with fancy tops; hand turn soles; sizes 2 to 11 in lot. Thursday Special .... **95¢**

Children's High Grade Shoes, with novelty tops; sizes 3 to 11 in lot; odd pairs of $2.50 and $3 grades. Thursday Special.......**$1.79**

BASEMENT

SMALLWARES

Kotex, 12 in package, 65c value. Thursday Special .... **53¢**

Elastic, odd pieces in black or white. Thursday Special .... **3¢**

Children's Garters, black, white. Thursday Special .... **9¢**

Twilled Tape, white, slightly counter soiled; 10c value. Thursday Special .... **8¢**

Embroidery Edging, also feather stitch braid; 10c value. Thursday Special .... **7¢**

STREET FLOOR

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Union Suits, Vests, Pants, heavy winter weight jersey; broken sizes; slightly counter soiled; values to $1. Thursday Special **79¢**

Women's Flat Wool Vests, in white and natural wool; sample sizes; $2 value. Thursday Special .... **89¢**

Misses' Wool Union Suits, size 16 only; $3 value. Thursday Special **$1**

STREET FLOOR

GLOVES

Women's Two Clasp Gloves, of chamois suede with fancy embroidery on back; 59c to 79c value. Thursday Special ....**50¢**

Children's Wool Gauntlet Gloves, in camel, oxford, brown heathers; $1 value. Thursday Special .... **69¢**

STREET FLOOR

WOMEN'S WEAR

Old Fashioned Kitchen Aprons, made with waist band and strings from good blue and white checked gingham; 59c value. Thursday Special .... **43¢**

Nurses' Uniforms, of white Indian Head or percale, form fitted, loose belt pockets, surgical sleeves, convertible collars; sizes 36 to 46; $2.98 and $3.98 values. Thursday Special **$1.95**

Billie Burke House Dresses, medium colors in percale; made with collars, pockets, belts; sizes 36 to 42; $1.39 value. Thursday Special **$1**

Flannelette Bloomers, good quality, made with reinforced piece, ruffle at knee; pink or blue stripes; sizes 27 and 29. Thursday Special .... **43¢**

Scotch Flannel Nightgowns, all white trimmed with fancy braid or hemstitching; sizes 15, 16, 17; $1.69 value. Thurs. Special **$1.19**

SECOND FLOOR

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Negligee Shirts, madras, high count percale, form fitted, loose belt pockets, surgical 14 to 17; $1.50 value. Thursday Special **$1**

Men's Union Suits, heavy jersey rib; all sizes; $1.65 value. Thursday Special **$1.29**

Men's Half Hose, all wool, green and brown heathers; 69c value. Thurday Special **50¢**

STREET FLOOR

HOSIERY

Women's Silk and Wool Hose, black and brown heathers; slight irregulars of the $1.65 quality. Thursday Special ....**69¢**

Children's Golf Hose, brown and green heathers, with turned down cuffs. Thurs. Special **19¢**

STREET FLOOR

Rengo Belt Reducing Corsets, medium elastic tops; wide front stay; sizes 25 to 36. Thursday Special **$2.39**

Shapely Brassieres, laced under arm; sizes 36 to 50; 98c value. Thursday Special **79¢**

SECOND FLOOR

INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S WEAR

Children's Wool Tams, green, navy; 79c value. Thursday Special .... **39¢**

Babies' Gertrudes, of wool flannel, long or short, slightly counter soiled; values to $1.50. Thursday Special .... **79¢**

Babies' Rubber Pants, all sizes, white or flesh color. Thursday Special ....**19¢**

Baby Buntings, of soft eiderdown, trimmed with pink or blue ribbon; slightly counter soiled; values to $3.98. Thursday Special **$1.79**

SECOND FLOOR

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Orange Rouge. Thursday Special.........**39¢**

Odd Lot Compacts, all shades. Thursday Special .... **33¢**

Imported Face Powder, fine quality; $1 value. Thursday Special .... **63¢**

Auction Bridge Score Pads. Thurs. Special **10¢**

Children's Handbags. Thursday Special **35¢**

Odd Pieces Veiling. Thursday Special....**29¢**

Organdie Vests, slightly mussed. Thursday Special .... **55¢**

STREET FLOOR

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Waists, Overblouses, of fine white voile or dimity; choice of styles; sizes 36 to 46; $1 value. Thursday Special .... **89¢**

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THURSDAY MORNING

Gagnon's Bargain Annex

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Here are first pictures of the Yaqui and Maya Indian troops transported from Sonora across Arizona, New Mexico and Texas by President Obregon of Mexico. Upper picture shows the troops as they detrained at Juarez, Mexico, just after crossing the American line. All the Indian soldiers are wrapped in United States army blankets, and most of them wear old American army hats. Right shows Major L. Acosta (centre), second in command of the troop train, and two leaders of the Indians.

ANOTHER MOVIE THEATRE

Rumors of New Motion Picture House for Lowell Revived in Boston

Rumors of a new motion picture house for Lowell, backed by national interests, have been revived again in the film distribution houses in Boston. About four months ago Lowell theatre managers heard similar rumors and after a careful survey succeeded in spiking them as untrue. No more was heard of the subject until yesterday.

Down in Boston there is "the film district," about a good stone's throw and forty paces from Park square. Here theatre managers from all New England come and go throughout the week reviewing films and bartering for rights of production in their respective cities. Every motion picture film buyer in Lowell visits there at least once a week. Many go oftener. There are several places tucked away in back of the big buildings in that section where any film, if in, is run off on request. Yesterday the initial New England run-off of "Let No Man Put Asunder," starring Lou Tellegen and Pauline Frederick, was given in Boston. Inasmuch as this picture has been widely exploited while in the making, the majority of local picture buyers were down to look it over. They were immediately asked about a proposed new theatre to be built here and all were admittedly mystified.

Real estate men questioned this morning were equally in the dark, they said. One location mentioned by film men in Boston as the probable site of a new house was investigated independently by at least two theatre managers this morning and found to be quite out of reach in view of the fact that two of the stores at present on the property are protected by long leases which they would undoubtedly be indisposed to relinquish.

While feeling certain that the project is more mythical than anything else, Lowell showmen were impressed with the seriousness of their informers who for business reasons are obliged to keep an ear to the ground for any theatre news in New England.

The municipal license commission and the censors of Lowell shows have put in a busy week so far. Yesterday morning a private run-off of "Flaming Youth" was given at the Strand theatre and certain parts were ordered eliminated. The film as doctored will be permitted to continue through its advertised run of the week.

Last night they visited the Lowell Opera House and witnessed the second performance of "The Demi-Virgin," attraction of the stock players. They evidently found the most salacious thing about this play was its title for no suggestion or demands were made upon the management at the close of the review.

The commission has been active in its close supervision of the silent and spoken drama here and their regulations have always met with implicit and immediate obedience. In the cases of both the picture and play reviewed this week the censors in truth probably found that the advertising on both, printed and spoken, was perhaps more subtle and suggestive than the plays warranted.

WASHABLE SILKS

Striped, plaid and checked silks, washable, are used for the new blouses with mannish cut and pleated bosoms.

G. O. P. LEADER MUST STAND TRIAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—John L. Phillips, Republican state chairman of Georgia, and nine others indicted in connection with the sale of surplus lumber from army cantonments, must stand trial in the supreme court of the district of Columbia held today in overruling demurrers to their indictments.

ADMINISTRATION FORCES OF MINERS WIN

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 30.—(By the Associated Press)—Unofficial tabulations gave the administration forces of the United Mine Workers of America, a majority of 119 votes on the roll call of delegates to the biennial convention and retained to them the appointive powers of the organization. The unofficial vote was 2120 votes in favor of retaining the present section of the constitution which permits the administration to appoint organizers and other officials, and 2001 against.

DISABLED VETERANS OF THE WORLD WAR

William C. Geary, commander of Lowell Chapter No. 5, last night announced the appointment of the following members of the Disabled American Veterans of the World war to serve as an executive committee for the coming year:

William C. Geary, chairman ex-officio, John Condon, Ralph Dodge, George Courtois, John J. Gray and Harry F. O'Sullivan. The committee met in executive session at Memorial hall and voted to take immediate steps to secure permanent quarters downtown. An invitation was received offering Lowell vets the opportunity of participating in the radio program to be broadcast from Medford Hillside by the disabled veterans, later in the month.

The executive committee will make public its financial report for 1923 and its 1924 budget within a few days. A membership drive will be inaugurated at the next regular meeting of the council, which takes place next Tuesday night at Memorial hall.

BUTTONS USED

The use of buttons, preferably glass or pearl, as trimming for the separate blouse is a practice that appears to be growing.

COLDS

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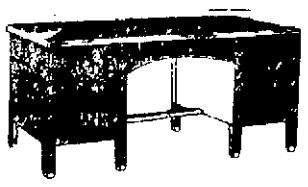

Your office reveals to a striking degree the progressiveness of your concern. Shabby looking office furniture might be the one thing that would prevent you from making the impression you'd like to make on that big customer.

As you step into your office today, look it over—then come and let us estimate the cost of new, up-to-the-minute furniture.

We suggest "Standard" or "Orpin" Desks in selected quartered oak or mahogany, at $25 to $45 as popular prices. Comfortable swivel desk chairs $13.50 up and excellent straight-back chairs $7.

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MR. DELANEY PROMOTED

Is Appointed Special Agent for Plant Department of Telephone Company

Thomas B. Delaney, of 92 West street was today appointed special agent for the plant department of the Lowell district of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company, which includes in addition to Lowell, the cities of Lawrence, Haverhill and Salem and numerous towns.

Mr. Delaney has been an employe of the telephone company for the past 24 years and has been in charge of switchboard trouble work locally for the past 12 years.

In his new position as special agent, Mr. Delaney will supervise plant work throughout the whole district with especial attention to switchboard installation and repair.

Mr. Delaney is a member of the present school committee and said today that his new work would not conflict with his serving upon the committee as he intends to have his office in Lowell and will be in this city the greater part of the time.

AUTO ACCIDENT REPORTED

H. J. Murray of Nashua, driver of a truck owned by the Nashua Baking Co., reported to the local police that while driving past Moore's mill in North Chelmsford at 6.10 this morning his machine struck a man named Oliver Wood of North Chelmsford. Mr. Wood refused medical attendance and apparently continued on his way to work.

BRAID TRIMMING

Wide bands of black and white braid are used to trim a spring coat of blue poiret twill.

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Colds

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CHALIFOUX'S

Thursday Morning Specials

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$12.95 and $15.75

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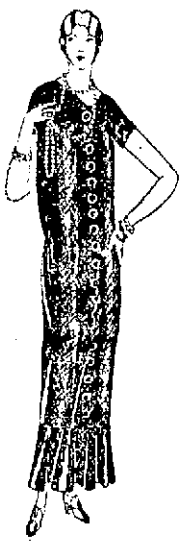

A Very Remarkable Sale of DRESSES

Two hundred and fifty Canton Crepe, Charmeuse, Poiret Twill and Silk Dresses. The values are up to $18. For Thursday A. M.

$7.95 and $9.95

Chalifoux's Second Floor

Specials in the Grey Shops for Children

Second Floor Annex

Odd Lot of Children's Cashmere Hose, odd sizes and colors; reg. value 49c. Thursday A. M. Special 25c

Children's Colored Bloomers, in assorted patterns, sizes 2 to 6; reg. 59c value. Thursday A. M. Special 15c

Small Lot of Bathrobes; $1.49 value. Thursday Special 49c

Just a Few Slip-on Sweaters, buff and red only, sizes 24, 26, 28; reg. value 95c. Thursday A. M. Special 49c

Children's Blue and Grey Toques; reg. 49c value. Thursday A. M. Special 25c

Grocery Specials

Self-Service Department Basement

Gold Medal Flour, 24½ lbs., 95c bag

Heinz Baked Beans, large can ..... 20c can

Columbia River Salmon, 1 lb. can..... 20c can

Tudor Coffee, 1 lb. tin, 37c can

Heinz Vinegar, quart, 25c quart

Fancy Yellow Cling Peaches, large can ..... 20c can

Curtain Shop

Third Floor

$1.50 HAND PAINTED TINT CLOTH SHADES, size 36x72-in., mounted on good heavy rollers, assorted colors. Thursday A. M. Special only, each 75c

59c SASH CURTAINS, made of black scrim muslin. Thursday A. M. Special, pair..... 39c

59c CURTAIN MADRAS, 5 patterns, white or cream color, splendid quality. Thursday A. M. Special only, yard 39c

$1.49 CURTAINS, hemstitched, trimmed, with neat textile edge. Thursday A. M. Special $1.10

Leather Goods

Street Floor

Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, in Persian, calf and goat leathers; value up to $2. Thursday A. M. Special 59c

BOYS' SPECIALS

Street Floor Annex

Boys' Sheep Lined Coats, very warm and durable, sizes 8 to 18; $9.00 value. Thursday A. M. Special..... $6.45

Boys' Mittens and Gloves, mule back, hide palm, lined; 75c value. Thursday A. M. Special 39c

Boys' Sweaters, wool and cotton, durable and warm, blue, brown and buff; 28 to 36 size. Thursday A. M. Special, $1.45

Boys' Toques, heavy jumbo knit; 75c value. Thursday A. M. Special 39c

Boys' Long Overcoats, sizes 11 to 20, grey and brown heathers, fancy plaid linings; value $13.50. Thursday A. M. Special $9.95

Little Boys' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 10, heavy winter overcoats, close fitting collar, plaid linings; $7.45 value. Thursday A. M. Special $5.75

CONTINUATION OF THE EXTRAORDINARY

Shoe Sale

Chalifoux's Basement

FOR WOMEN

One-Strap Pumps and Oxfords, Pat. Leather Pumps, Brown Oxfords $1

FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Oxfords, Patent One-Strap Pumps, Children's School Shoes and a lot of Boys' and Youths' Shoes..... $1.50

FOR MEN

Tan and Black High Shoes, Patent Jazz Oxfords, Brown or Black Oxfords..... $2

Chalifoux's CORNER

Thursday A. M. SPECIALS

Chalifoux's CORNER

You Should Know These Men!

We have ten men out selling Lowell Coke. These men are specialists in their line and they are making a house-to-house canvass of Lowell to acquaint people with the fact that

Lowell Coke

is the best solid fuel to burn—in stove, boiler or furnace.

Each man carries a card like the one reproduced in this advertisement. If you have any doubts as to the identity of anyone representing the Lowell Gas Light Company, ask him to show his card which is signed by the General Manager of the Company. These men offer you sixty bushels of Lowell Coke for $14.50 on the installment plan.

Lowell Gas Light Company

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NEW CENTRAL BRIDGE

The following communication relative to the Central bridge is received:

Editor Sun.

Dear Sir: I think you have suggested one of the most pressing improvements necessary to the solution of our traffic problems in one of our principal thoroughfares, in pointing out the need of a wider bridge to connect Centralville with the city proper. The city has been spending money on the old bridge without making it any better, and I believe the time is at hand when the old structure will have to be either abandoned altogether or made much more solid than it is at present. It seems that the recent repairs are not likely to last long, and that we shall soon have on our hands the problem of again repairing the old bridge or else building a new one. I am certainly in favor of a new bridge and a bridge that will offer a roadway of at least 65 feet as you suggest.

Yours respectfully,
CENTRALVILLE.

It does seem that money will be wasted in further repairs of the old Central bridge that is now causing so much discussion. It is not creditable to our city to depend upon a bridge of that kind as a link in a state highway leading up the Merrimack Valley to New Hampshire.

When the bridge was built, we had no electric cars and no automobiles. It was sufficiently wide to meet all the needs of public travel at that time, but that was nearly half a century ago, and in the meantime, not only have come the electric cars, but the motor vehicles in vast numbers that require much more space on the highways than did the horse-drawn vehicles of past generations. Public convenience and necessity require a wider bridge and as Bridge street from the square to Amory street is 65 feet wide, the section of Bridge street from Amory to the end of the bridge should be widened to that extent and a new bridge with a roadway not less than 65 feet wide constructed. Thereafter instead of blushing for the inadequacy of our main bridge across the river, we should have reason to feel proud of its dimensions and ample facilities to meet the needs of public traffic in and out of our city. Springfield has recently opened a magnificent new bridge and when we start to build a new bridge across the Concord we might as well build a solid and durable bridge across the Merrimack.

RANKLING OIL SCANDALS

The oil scandal is furnishing the chief sensation of the hour for the newspapers throughout the country. Already plans are made to prosecute the cases against former Secretary Fall and Secretary Denby of the navy department, without whose signature the leases could not have been executed. Congress has also passed a resolution demanding the cancellation of the lease; but President Coolidge is moving cautiously in the matter and is engaging counsel not connected with the department of justice to institute civil or criminal prosecutions as may be deemed necessary to clear up the entire transaction.

Secretary Denby of the navy department and Attorney General Daugherty seem to be most seriously implicated in the responsibility for the execution of the leases for Teapot Dome oil lands to the Sinclair company and of the California Oil Reserves to Mr Doheny. Suspicion rests particularly on the attorney general, whose duty it was to see that the leases were strictly legal and that in each case the interests of the government were adequately protected. It is believed, however, that Mr. Daugherty was the close friend of ex-Secretary Fall of the interior department and as a result, was not inclined to question any favors that might be conferred upon his friend.

The effort of Hiram Johnson to place the blame for the oil leases upon President Coolidge is not likely to be taken seriously. As vice president, Mr. Coolidge naturally did not feel that it was his duty to make a personal investigation of the conditions upon which the leases were granted. Everything seemed to be fair and above board at that particular time, and it was not until later that the real nature of the transactions became known to the public. If Hiram Johnson had known that there was anything wrong in the grant of these leases to oil companies, he certainly would not have waited to the late day to unload his accusations against President Coolidge. The whole matter apparently will be turned over to the courts and a couple of redhead lawyers, who will doubtless do full justice to the $100,000 appropriated by congress for defraying the expense of the prosecution. The responsibility for the scandal will rest upon the shoulders of Secretary Denby and Attorney General Daugherty, that upon the oil magnates who secured the leases. There is a chance of something like unlikely against the sinclair company, but neither of the parties have yet been altered [illegible]. Pending the outcome of the inquiry and possible prosecutions, the country will indulge all kinds of speculations as to the extent and the personal effect upon the reputations of many prominent officials.

OUR TAX BURDENS

In all this cyclone of talk about reducing taxes, let us remember that national taxes are not the only ones. A government bulletin reveals some surprising figures.

In 1923 the national government collected 4.2 billion dollars of taxes. No 1923 figures are completely available yet for states, counties, towns and rural districts. But in 1922 these combined collected 4218 [illegible] dollars in taxes, or nearly a third [illegible] than national taxes.

The tax burden of the American people is somewhere around [illegible] a half billion dollars a year, including all taxes, national, state, county, municipal, and so on.

This is about $70 a year for every man, woman and child. For a family of five, it averages $350 a year.

The actual burden is much greater, for in passing taxes on to consumers there is usually an excessive levy to play safe.

While nearly seven and a half billion dollars of taxes are collected in a year from the American people, government spending is much larger. The deficit is taken care of by bond issue. So the future is increasingly mortgaged and the burden of debt, on which interest must be paid, grows steadily. An eventual day of reckoning is inevitable.

The national debt is decreasing. But the total debts of states, counties and municipalities is increasing. Put the brakes on Uncle Sam, fine! But put them also on Sam's 48 children, the states, and their many family relatives.

VERY PATHETIC CASE

Most pathetic was the suicide of Miss Margaret E. Harding, daughter of Governor Harding of the Federal Reserve bank of Boston and former head of the federal reserve board. A young girl of 23, she had devoted her time to high society life and dancing; and incidentally became addicted to the use of cigarets which doubtless led to hasten her physical breakdown. After spending her time in Boston, New York and Washington in the highest swirl of society life, she found the pace too fast for her, and as a result, her health gave way; and on the verge of a nervous collapse after a round of gayety in Washington, she came home practically a nervous and physical wreck, and true to her self-willed and self-directed modes of life, she ended it all with a revolver.

She had rejected the wise counsel of an indulgent father, who begged her to devote less time to society life and take charge of his household in Boston, for which duties were valuable, and like other stubborn and self-willed girls, women, she sought the high tribes of society and it might be said that like the moth she perished in the flame.

Her fate is a warning to other young girls who reject the counsel of their parents and relatives and give themselves up to the quest of social pleasures to the exclusion of those domestic virtues which are seldom found in the constant habitues of the dazzling ballroom nor in the addicts of the cigaret habit, not to speak of other and even more serious dangers associated with the incessant whirl of high social life.

TROUBLES OF A MAYOR

Mayor McMahon of Lynn is reported to be worried over late reports of [illegible] corruption, carrying on sort of "keeping lynn clean." Insubstantial rumors are current [illegible] the mayor is not averse to acting [illegible] police department [illegible] in the discharge of their duties [illegible] to attend to complaints concerning certain disorders and alleged violations of liquor laws. Naturally for a [illegible] been having considerable [illegible] the reins of government [illegible] the whispered accusations [illegible] influences [illegible] the Northern executive [illegible].

[illegible] has shown [illegible] to the heads of the police department, delivered several [illegible] police headquarters, [illegible] short of [illegible] he has given [illegible] out and [illegible] of the [illegible] known results.

[illegible] appears to be [illegible] notwithstanding [illegible] of cheap gossip [illegible] in Lynn.

Among the activities and selecting certain heads of departments constitute [illegible] difficult and perplexing duties of the mayor and city council during the entire year.

Wm. H. Anderson convicted of forgery in New York discovers that the law also applies to members of the Anti-Saloon league.

Common sense rather than pyrotechnics characterized the meeting of the school board last night.

It is time for Denby and Daugherty to get out, in view of the crooked oil transactions they authorized.

SEEN AND HEARD

Helping somebody else to live is worth while.

Some autoists seem to enjoy splashing mud on pedestrians.

Sometimes we all feel as if we would like to be jobless for a little while.

Was Playing Safe

Jack said no love for his wife's little pet dog. But one day when it mysteriously disappeared he offered $100 for its recovery. "But I thought," said his friend, "you hated the dog like poison? "So I did," replied Jack. "I could not bear it." "Then why on earth did you offer such a big reward for its return?" "I like to please my wife." "Well, that may be, but $100 is sure to bring the dog back." "I think not," answered Jack, with a knowing wink, "unless any one saw me bury it in the garden."

Chief of Time

In a case where the charge was the theft of a watch the evidence was convincing. As the jury retired the judge observed that he would be glad to help in adjusting any difficulties that might present themselves to the minds of the jury. Eleven jurors filed out of the box. The one who remained wore an expression of extreme perplexity. Observing his hesitation the judge said: "Would you like to ask me a question?" "Yes, Your Honor," replied the juror eagerly. "I'd be very glad if you'd tell me whether the prisoner really stole the watch!"

Never Insulted

A young man set out for the first time to get orders in the west of England. At Plymouth he met an old commercial traveler, who asked him how he had got on. "Badly," he replied. "I was insulted at every place I visited." "That's strange," said the other. "I have been on the road 40 years; I have had my samples flung into the street, I have been taken by the scruff of the neck and pitched down-stairs; I don't deny that I have been rolled in the gutter, but insulted never."

Minstrel Show Plot

An English visitor was taken by an American friend to see one of our minstrel shows. It was the first he had ever attended. He sat through it with a slightly puzzled expression. After the performance they adjourned to a restaurant and the American ventured to ask what he thought of the show. "Did you like it, old man?" The Englishman came to time bravely. "Oh, yes. It was a jolly show, a jolly show altogether. Quite so. But I couldn't keep up with the plot for the life of me!"

"The Psalm of Life"

Tell me not, in mournful numbers,
Life is but an empty dream!
For the soul is dead that slumbers,
And things are not what they seem.

Life is real! Life is earnest!
And the grave is not its goal!
Dust thou art, to dust returnest,
Was not spoken of the soul.

Not enjoyment, and not sorrow,
Is our destined end or way;
But to act, that each tomorrow
Find us farther than today.

Art is long and Time is fleeting,
And our hearts, though stout and brave,
Still, like muffled drums, are beating
Funeral marches to the grave.

In the world's broad field of battle
In the bivouac of Life,
Be not like dumb, driven cattle!
Be a hero in the strife!

Trust no future, howe'er pleasant!
Let the dead past bury its dead!
Act—act in the living present!
Heart within, and God o'erhead!

Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And, departing leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time;

Footprints, that perhaps another,
Sailing o'er life's solemn main,
A forlorn and shipwrecked brother,
Seeing, shall take heart again.

Let us, then, be up and doing
With a heart for any fate;
Still achieving, still pursuing,
Learn to labor and to wait.

—Henry W. Longfellow.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

A boy scout signing himself F. M. Rickie submits the following communication to this column: "Do you think it would be a good idea to have boy scouts place old auto tires at Lowell's dangerous river and canal spots? Auto tires have served as life-savers in numerous cases, especially where the poor victims have been conscious." Scout Rickie's idea is a good one. Discarded tires, I understand, have not much financial value and could be put to such use as suggested by this right-thinking scout.

The boy scout signal reminds me that Traffic Officer Daniel Brennan officially assumes his duties as scout master of St. Patrick's troop next Thursday. The boys of this troop should consider themselves very fortunate in securing a man of Officer Brennan's calibre. He knows just the kind of work boys like, what games they want and what scout movements offer the greatest appeal. Although one of the newest scout troops in the city, St. Patrick's is bound to take its place in the ranks of the best.

Sponsors of the Lowell winter carnival were optimistic a few days ago [illegible] the ground was covered with snow, but yesterday's warm sunshine and [illegible] atmosphere on the [illegible] Will the date of the affair only a few days ahead Chairman [illegible] Wood [illegible] are worried [illegible] complete the plans for a [illegible] that now is needed [illegible] Lowell [illegible] practically [illegible] without an [illegible].

[illegible] is not the only city up against [illegible] matter of winter carnival [illegible]. The city of Natchez [illegible] winter carnival has become [illegible] conducted its annual [illegible] Snow was conspicuous [illegible] but fair weather [illegible] the general jollification [illegible] tobogganing [illegible] snow.

Given 1 Henry Hunter of the high school [illegible] new rules for [illegible] this year in regard to [illegible] on the outskirts of the city which [illegible] the Lowell Opera [illegible] the "good" No flower [illegible] friends and relatives will be passed over the footlights [illegible] in former years, either to the coach, Mr. Mary Joyce, or to any of the players. The reason for this is given as being unfair action to all members of the cast, and an elimination of unnecessary expense to the patrons.

Just a word of warning to motorists might be worth while at this particular time. The roads through the country districts are not as open as those in the city and automobilists will do well to use the chains when travelling outside the city limits.

The new Cherry Lane playhouse is heralded as New York city's smallest theater. It is [illegible] work in the [illegible] of Little Theaters over the country, which have done so much to promote better theaters and higher art and originality in the legitimate [illegible] one of [illegible] started [illegible] acquired the [illegible] Provincetown Players and [illegible] Eugene O'Neill from dark [illegible] has presented position as greatest American playwright. The [illegible] a Little Theatre movement [illegible] mechanical [illegible] a bar. Be [illegible] come.

When an [illegible] writer sends a movie [illegible] the producers [illegible] there's only [illegible] chance in 10,000 of his being [illegible].

The Author [illegible] makes the interesting [illegible] in the law of chances. It [illegible] only four [illegible] series were [illegible] out of 42 [illegible] to produce.

Maybe it's [illegible] best, after all [illegible] out of 10,000 [illegible] if more than [illegible] would be [illegible] producing.

Writers' [illegible] idea is overproduction. As [illegible] Ade put it, too much competition with dead men.

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INTERESTING LECTURES IN KITSON HALL

A joint lecture by Miss Katherine Head of Boston, on "Budget Making" and Edward B. Carney, on "Savings Banks in Their Relation to Life Insurance," was given last evening at the Y. W. C. A. in Kitson hall.

The main essentials in making a budget were told by Miss Head, who declared that even with non-salaried people the total can be very nearly estimated. The rules for dividing the income by percentage are here given. First, a certain amount should be allowed for savings, second, bills for clothing and other irregular expenses should be calculated for the year and allowed for. The remainder would be divided into two parts for regular weekly and monthly bills, operating expenses like light and heat, not over one-fifth of the income for rent, for bills incidental to the type of home life desired, as regard to food and furnishings, and an allowance for unlooked for expenses. This budget must be revised every year, consulting the spendings of the year before to change the amounts that can be allowed.

The gist of the talk by Mr. Carney was, that by the payment of a certain sum of money to a savings bank at regular intervals over a period of 10 years, a life insurance policy could be secured valued at $1000. The amount of payment varies according to the age and physical condition of the applicant from about $7.35 to $10.35 monthly. At the end of ten years sufficient money will have been deposited to take care of the premium in case it is desired to continue the policy, and the total that will be paid on the death of the person holding the policy will amount to over $1300.

Provision is also made for the payment of a policy of smaller amount, in case the policy holder fails to make regular deposits at the end of a year or two. The reason these policies can be secured so cheaply is that the expenses of printing are paid by the state, and no paid solicitors are used to sell the idea to people.

WILL GIVE SECOND AND FINAL PRESENTATION

With the announcement by the Mathews that their sensationally successful musical extravaganza, the "Follies and Frolics of 1924," will be given a second and final presentation in the Auditorium next Tuesday evening, expressions of satisfaction are pouring in upon the committee from all sides. The lavish praise bestowed on the production by the press and the limited number of patrons who succeeded in gaining admission to last Friday evening's performance resulted in a very insistent demand for a "repeat," not only from the hundreds who were turned away because of the inadequate seating facilities, but from a host of others whose interest was piqued by their neighbors' enthusiastic description of the show, and who would like an opportunity to attend and judge for themselves.

The fact that the merits of the show were not overdrawn in the advance notices was a source of wonder to the large audience and counted heavily in influencing its favorable verdict, as shown by the sustained applause throughout the performance. The cast acquitted themselves splendidly, proving one of the funniest collections of comedians in the memory of the public. The dancing sketches and their singing lords were accorded a reception that gave eloquent testimony of the excellence of their selection. The soloists rendered ballads that displayed their ability and talent in a conclusive manner and the vaudeville sketches were of a quality far beyond expectations. The costuming, lighting effects and stage setting lent the finishing touch to an uncommonly fine amateur production.

In the repeat the same program will be maintained, and the utmost care used to present each and every number in the identical style in which it was given on last Friday evening. The stage setting, lighting and costuming will be reproduced exactly as at the first performance. Rehearsals will be held beginning Thursday evening, in order that the committee in charge may assure itself that the entire company will be in first class shape for next Tuesday night's effort. Tickets will be placed in the hands of the same stores which assisted in the distribution for the initial presentation. The demand that has been felt thus far indicates that the call for accommodations will be fully as brisk as before, so prospective patrons are advised to make their reservations without delay.

CURRENT EVENTS LECTURES

Mrs. Claude [illegible] Gibson will give a course of [illegible] on current events on Tuesday mornings, beginning February [illegible] continuing through March 18 [illegible] in Middlesex club. Tickets are $[illegible] for the course and can be secured from Mrs. Boyden Pillsbury, [illegible] Tenth street. Telephone 555-W. The lectures are given for the benefit of the Lowell Guild.

ANNIVERSARY RALLY

Malden Pastor Principal Speaker at Meeting of Lowell C. E. Union

Rev. Henry H. Crane, of Malden, last night addressed the 43rd anniversary rally of the Lowell Christian Endeavor union, held at First Baptist church. Merton C. Flemings, president, was toastmaster at the banquet which preceded the speaking. George F. Flewelling, county president, extended the greetings and congratulations of the county body.

Miss Helen Mansfield, former president of the Lowell union, spoke on "Christian Endeavor Today." "Retrospect and Prospect" was the title of a short address by the recording secretary of the state body, Henry D. Grimes. Rev. Harold F. Carr, pastor of Pawtucket Congregational church, closed the post-prandial exercises with a brief talk on "Anniversaries."

The evening's exercises were opened with a praise service led by A. Edwin Wells of Lowell. The word of welcome was extended by Miss Gladys Paige as president of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church. Vice President Nathaniel Trull of the Lowell Union made the response. The church choir, directed by Warren Reid, rendered a selection. Wilfred Kershaw acted as organist.

The roll-call of societies was read by Miss Elsie E. Perron, union secretary. Rev. George F. Shirlevant of the First Congregational church led the devotional exercises. At the close of the speaking by Dr. Crane which followed benediction was pronounced by Rev. Edward Babcock, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist church.

The attendance banner which is awarded monthly was given the society of St. Paul's M. E. church which had an attendance record of 82 per cent. The union of the First Presbyterian church was awarded honorable mention.

LADIES ENTERTAINED AT K. OF C. CLUB ROOMS

One of the most successful ladies' nights conducted by Lowell Council, 72, Knights of Columbus, was held in the hall of the clubrooms last evening and attracted close to 1000 young people, who spent an enjoyable evening of general dancing and entertainment. Previous to the formal opening of festivities, the comfortable quarters were thrown open to inspection, and many who had not been afforded the opportunity to visit the rooms on past occasions, expressed admiration for the homelike atmosphere.

General dancing, with Broderick's orchestra, was enjoyed until a late hour. A brief intermission ensued at 10.30 during which refreshments were served by the following committeemen: Edward Callahan, Arthur Rogers, John Mann, George Sullivan, Cornelius Connolly, Daniel Owens, John J. Moloney, John J. McArdle, Frank Connolly and Charles McCarthy.

To Edward F. Slattery, Jr., lecturer of the council, goes the credit for the success of this first ladies' night of the season. Mr. Slattery promises others of a similar nature in the future.

"Babe" Ruth Comes Tonight

This evening, George "Babe" Ruth will be the guest of the Knights. He will appear in person at the Dutton street rooms at the conclusion of his engagement at the reunion and banquet of St. Patrick's school alumni association, which should mean about 9 o'clock. The following committee will have charge of the reception:

"Bob" Hart, Eddie Cawley, John J. Flannery, Michael Mahoney, T. A. D. Sullivan, Daniel P. Brennan, Michael Moloney, Joseph M. Duffy, John F. Keane, Jr., and Charles Burns.

AUTOMOBILE WAS STOLEN FROM GARAGE

The Dodge coupe of Elizabeth F. Lamere of 281 East Merrimack street was stolen from the garage of John P. Tansey, 322 East Merrimack street last Monday night and has not been recovered.

The machine was for sale and on Monday a prospective purchaser of the car, decided to purchase it and put down a deposit of $50. That night, the garage was entered and the machine taken. Capt. David Petrie investigated the matter and found that the $50 check, signed in the name of Charles D. Wright, 114 Essex street, Lawrence, was worthless.

The stolen machine bore the registration number 235388.

PLAN CONCERT ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY

The committee in charge of the charity concert and dance under the auspices of the United Irish Societies of Lowell in the Memorial Auditorium and Liberty hall on March 17, met in Y.M.C.A. hall last night and listened to encouraging reports on the proposed affair.

Entertainment de luxe is in store for patrons of the event, according to reports of the committee, prominent talent having been procured. Irish harpists will be one of the many features in the instrumental line.

A cake sale will be held at Gargnano next Friday in raise funds for the completion of preliminary arrangements. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening of next week.

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A food to meet each epicurean's wish
Is pie.

The old people sigh and the little ones cry
For pie.
The kind that you make—not the kind that you buy;
Some pie
Is punk in its filling and punk in its crust,
And custard by people who never have cussed,
But good home-made pie you can eat till you bust,
That's pie!

A lemon pie's never a lemon to me,
Oh, my!
I scream with delight when a cream pie I see,
That's PIE:
I won't give the raz to a raspberry tart,
I'm not at all chary of cherry; my heart
At cocoanut pie gives a leap and a start,
What man has the consummate crust to deny
Lightly made
The lure of a rightly made,
Pie!

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Meanwhile we advise all householders to have an additional compression stop an waste place in the main pipe to shut off the water in cold weather.

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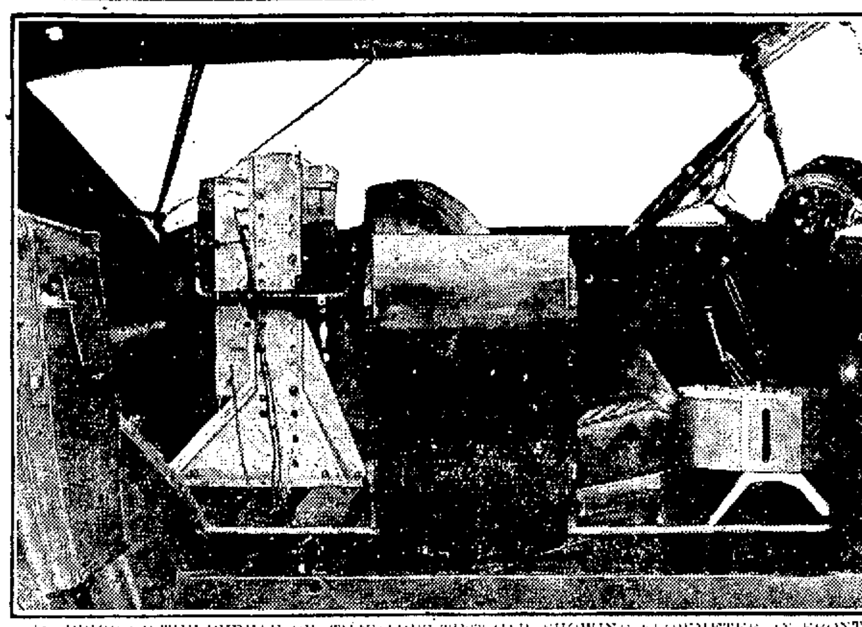

INTERIOR OF THE BUREAU OF STANDARDS TEST CAR, SHOWING FLOWMETER, IN FRONT, FOR RECORDING GAS CONSUMPTION, AND MULTIPLE RECORDER, IN REAR, FOR REGISTERING GENERAL CAR PERFORMANCE.

UNCLE SAM, ENGINEER

May Be Depended on for Some Major Improvements in 1924

BY HARRY B. HUNT
N.E.A. Service Writer

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Lower gas consumption, more dependable braking, easier riding.

To these three factors, of prime importance in automobile development, the United States Bureau of Standards may be expected to make important contributions during 1924.

With new equipment that has been developed by experts of the bureau's automotive division, studies of engine and brake performance and of riding qualities can be carried on to a nicety never before possible.

From the standpoint of safety, the formulation of standardized braking requirements is perhaps the most important one before the automotive industry, experts of the bureau agree. With the development of four-wheel brakes and their ability to "set the car up on the radiator cap" by short stops, there is danger that drivers will demand unreasonable short stopping distances.

In recommending adoption of brake regulations, the guiding factor should be the effectiveness of brakes under ordinary conditions, they hold.

Special Instrument

To determine the relative efficiency of various braking systems, brake materials, etc., Dr. W. F. James, chief of the automotive division of the bureau, has devised a "decelerometer," which measures the showing effect, or deceleration, of brakes under all conditions. Tests now being carried on include studies not only of braking systems and materials but also of the comparative braking efficiency of balloon and high-pressure tires.

The desirability of brake equalizers, which would give the same grip to brakes on both sides, also is being studied. From these studies, it is planned to work out a set of reasonable brake regulations which may contribute materially in reducing auto accidents.

In developing easier riding qualities in cars, particular attention is being given both the spring suspension and tire equipment. Tests with the new low-pressure "balloon" tires are being conducted to determine their relative rolling resistance, their effect on braking and steering and general car performance. If these tests show their easy-riding qualities are not offset by other conditions, the general design of spring suspension can be altered to provide a much more smooth-riding car than any now on the market.

Gasoline Tests

With the decline in prices of gasoline, there has been a decrease in interest as to methods for reducing gas consumption, bureau authorities state. But this condition is recognized as temporary, since the available supplies of gas are certain to make greater economies in fuel important within the next few years.

Decided economies can be effected, bureau scientists declare, through improvements in carburetor, manifold and transmission designs and by better lubrication. The American's unwillingness to shift gears, his demand for a car which will take him up all hills in high and an engine which is always ready for maximum performance, wastes hundreds of millions of gallons of gas annually. Carburetors are adjusted to give good performance under the worst conditions, with the result that a richer mixture than necessary is supplied under normal conditions.

Lubrication

Just now the bureau is working out, for the motor transport corps of the army, recommendations with respect to lubrication and lubricating medium. Much of the overhaul expense of an auto is due to faulty lubrication.

The bureau's present study covers the question of what oil characteristics influence the rate at which carbon is formed. It is hoped simple tests may be standardized by which the autoist can estimate to what extent carbon formation is back of his engine troubles.

On this point it has been established that the rate of carbon formation depends to a large extent on the temperature of the metal parts with which the oil comes in contact. There is a point at which carbon forms rapidly. If the temperatures at these points are too high or too low for carbonization, little carbon is formed.

To assist the bureau's studies of auto performance, bureau scientist put them through tests not unlike that of a physician who takes your temperature, records your pulse, sounds your lungs and otherwise gets a full record of your anatomy and its performance before making a diagnosis.

With a decelerometer under the front seat, to gauge brake efficiency, a flowmeter camera at the driver's feet, picturing every drop of gas that goes to the carburetor, an air gauge on the top and a multiple recorder in the tonneau to register the temperatures of air, gas and water and of all bearings, these Bureau of Standards boys can tell you to a T just how much life the old bus has and what sort of new glands are needed to fill her full of pep.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN SALVATION ARMY

Important changes affecting the northern New England division of the Salvation army (Lowell branch headquarters included) are announced.

Brigadier Thomas E. Hughes, for the past three years in high chief command of this district and one of the best known Salvation army officers in New England, has been promoted from Portland, Me. headquarters to command of the southern Pennsylvania, southern New Jersey and Delaware division. He leaves Portland today for Philadelphia, his new headquarters station.

Since his command in this division, Brigadier Hughes, who has been a regular inspection visitor to Lowell Salvation army barracks and always warmly welcomed by local army attaches, has supervised the erection of $350,000 worth of new buildings in Lowell, Nashua, Saco, Biddeford, Lewiston, Lawrence, Bath, Augusta, Berlin, Laconia and Franklin.

Lowell's splendid army institution on Appleton street today is a sample monument, as it were, of Brigadier Hughes' remarkable energy and directorship. He personally supervised the erection of the army's new home here, attended to many details involving cost and expenditures and paved the way for campaign working equipment. No Salvation Army barracks in the country is more admirably fitted for important Christian service work accomplished 365 days in the year than the Appleton street edifice dedicated to the cause of common humanity.

Commandant Charles Abbott, who has returned to Lowell with his bride after a short honeymoon, told The Sun that Brigadier Hughes is beloved by every member of the organization on two continents. No leader of the army cause has performed more valiant and efficient executive work almost single-handed than the doughty leader who is now transferred from this district to larger fields.

"I was delighted to hear of the brigadier's promotion," said Commandant Abbott today. "He enters one of the largest fields in the United States, but you can depend upon it he will be just the man for the position. He is a man of rare executive ability kindly heart, steady nerves and powerful leadership. His energy is untiring. His three years' work with the northern division of the Salvation Army, which included the erection of many new district headquarters in various cities including Lowell, has never been equalled.

"We army workers in the organized field of Christian endeavors are proud of him and wish him well in his transfer to one of the largest Salvation Army territorial districts in the United States."

In Portland, the brigadier increased in three years the registered army recruits from 31 members to 72, the present enlistment in that city. The division now has a membership of 1102, compared to 765 when he went to Portland.

Previous to going to Portland, Brigadier Hughes led army commands or participated in campaign programs in Boston, Hartford, Buffalo and other cities in the northern and eastern sections of the United States. He is a native of Canada, about 52 years of age, and entered the Salvation Army in 1901 in Utica, N. Y.

Commandant Abbott informs The Sun that Brigadier Hughes, who paid his last and farewell visit to Lowell army headquarters on Jan. 16, to tender his official good-by to local workers and also participate in the Abbott wedding reception festivities, is to be succeeded at Portland headquarters by Staff Captain Fred Osmond of Buffalo, N. Y.

Capt. Osmond has been campaigning in numerous large cities, including Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Boston, Cleveland and, more recently, Youngstown, O., where the army has been doing excellent work among the great army of steel-workers," said Commandant Abbott.

"The captain has in addition to his many other services, covered splendidly a difficult staff assignment—that of keeping in touch with service work in New England prisons and reformatories. He has also assisted many army campaigns to their great benefit."

Staff Captain Osmond is planning to make his first visit to Lowell for a happy "week end," probably some time next month. Commandant Abbott and his ready cohorts of men and women army workers will do the honors.

AT THOMAS TALBOT MEMORIAL HALL

"Making Daddy Behave" is the title of the farcical three-act comedy-drama to be presented by the Altissima Dramatic club of North Billerica at the Thomas Talbot Memorial hall Thursday evening. A capable cast has the play well in hand and its work is bound to meet with the unqualified approval of the most critical audience. Tickets have been selling rapidly but there are still good seats available. The cast of characters follows:

Burgess Lukens, "daddy," ... Edward Gannon
John St. Clair, his lawyer, ... Howard Conway
Byron Cleveland, his secretary, ... Roland Conway
David Standing, a stranger, ... Myles Finnegan
Alberts, the butler ... Edward Barton
Windham, the chauffeur ... John Maxwell
Gretchen, his mother-in-law, ... Mary A. McCarthy
Becky, Marian, His Daughters, ... Mary Collins, Katherine A. Condon
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Some families through several generations have teeth which are called soft or feeble. This condition seems to be the result of poor or deficient nutrition. The children of these undernourished parents require very careful attention to prevent the development of caries. These poorly developed teeth are often seen in the mouth of children suffering from scorbutic or rachitic disease and also in those suffering from congenital syphilis.

Do your best for your children's teeth, give them a hygienic mouth if you value their success in life. Remember that proper diet is important in teeth forming and development. It has been pointed out by leading dentists that the teeth that are the least called upon for proper mastication are often the worst in structure. Use the proper coarse foods and have strong, healthy teeth.

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Garrison Finish Brings Victory to Cadets in Third Game of Series

O. M. I. CADETS COME FROM BEHIND AND DEFEAT Y M. C. I. 14 TO 12

Whirlwind Rally in Final Period Converts Apparent Defeat Into Glorious Victory—Dan O'Connor Scores Winning Basket With Few Minutes to Go

In a great uphill fight, one of the most thrilling seen in local athletics this season, the O.M.I. Cadets fought their way to victory over the Y.M.C.I. in the third game of the basketball series at Crescent rink last night. A brilliant rally led by Capt. Dan O'Connor, in which every member of the Cadet outfit contributed his share, converted what appeared like certain defeat into a notable victory by the score of 14 to 12. The series now stands two to one in favor of the Cadets with the fourth game scheduled for next Monday night.

After being completely outplayed in the first period when the Institute boys launched a terrific attack, the Cadets pulled themselves together in the second session and scored two baskets, while the Y.M.C.I. failed to register. Then in the third and final stanza, with the score standing 12 to 7 against them, the Cadet team let loose a burst of dazzling speed that completely changed the picture.

Winning Goal by O'Connor

Red Kenney opened the Cadet counter offensive in the final chapter with a spectacular shot from the centre of the rink. Dan O'Connor followed with one from a difficult angle. A third foul gave the Cadets a point, creating a 12 to 12 tie. A few moments later, with but a couple of minutes to go, Dan O'Connor came through with the shot that broke the tie and sent the Cadets into the lead for the first time in the game. Y.M.C.I. players tried hard to [illegible] but their efforts were in vain and the big horn sounded without further scoring.

It was a humdinger of a game all the way with Y.M.C.I. jumping into the lead at the outset, only to be forced to yield as the game advanced. The Institute presented a much stronger front than in the first game with Packy Wing and Jim Wing in the lineup. The latter came down from Milford, N. H., as a substitute for Arthur Ryan, who found it impossible to play. Wing starred in the early stages of play, shooting three baskets in the first period. In the latter stages when Red Kenney was assigned to oppose him, he failed to score. Wing played D. O'Connor and he held the peppery Cadet leader to two baskets. Johnny Randall opposed Jim McKinstrey and he prevented the Textile star from scoring. In addition Randall hopped a goal in the getaway session. Buckey Lew's playing of Kenney in the opening stanza and his effective blocking throughout was a feature of the game. Lew met with an injury in the second period and while he was forced to leave the floor he gamely returned, but the mishap slowed him up considerably. Waldron was in fine form in the early part of the game and shot two into the basket.

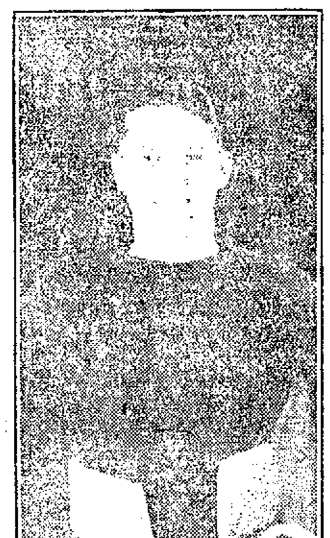
For the Cadets, Dan O'Connor and Kenney were the star performers, Kenney negotiating three baskets and Dan a brace. Pick O'Connor was the other Cadet scorer. But it was the collective endeavors of the Cadets in the closing stages rather than the individual efforts of the players that shaped victory's course their way. All fitted into the combination and played an important part in the hurricane rally.

Each Team Scored Six Baskets

Each team scored the same number of baskets from the floor, six, with the Cadets picking up two points on fouls. The Institute failed to register any points, only those that scored from baskets as but one foul was called on the Cadets. In the second game of the series the teams scored the same number of baskets but the Institute profiting and winning the game on fouls.

At the outset it looked like a walkaway for the Institute and their rooters, who were in the majority, had their innings. Waldron was the first to score. Wing then signalized his first appearance in Lowell with one from the corner. Randall followed suit. A brace by Wing made it 10 to 0. Kenney at this point broke the ice for the Cadets. Waldron then poked one in. Just before the period ended the Cadets picked up a point on fouls. Score: Y.M.C.I. 12, Cadets 3.

When the teams came on for the second period Kenney was assigned to play Wing, with Pick O'Connor going over to jump centre against Lew. The change worked well for the Cadets. Kenney took second [illegible] O'Connor [illegible] of the game [illegible]



CAPT. DAN O'CONNOR
O.M.I. Cadet Star.

The Y.M.C.I., apparently too confident, played with indifference and as a result failed to score in the session.

When the third period opened the score stood 12 to 7 against the Cadets and the outlook was far from promising. But the soldier boys with their backs to the wall opened up a determined and bewildering attack and never let up until they overcame their opponents. Kenney came through with one from the centre of the hall that was the most spectacular shot of the game. Dan O'Connor followed with a dandy. Play became rather strenuous and a third foul on the Y.M.C.I. gave the Cadets a point and the score was tied. The Cadet followers roared with delight.

As but a few moments remained, it appeared like the game would go into overtime. Both sides fought desperately and the supporters of both yelled and cheered vigorously. Finally Dan O'Connor pulled the ball out of a scrimmage and tossed the leather into the basket for a winning goal. Shortly after the period ended and a great game, with one of the most thrilling garrison finishes seen here in many a day, passed into history. The lineup and summary:

Y.M.C.I.	CADETS
Wing lf	rb J. O'Connor
Waldron rf	lb Twohey
Lew c	c Kenney
Randall lb	rf McKinstrey
Wing rb	lf D. O'Connor

Won by	Goal by	Score
FIRST PERIOD		
Y.M.C.I.	Waldron	2—0
Y.M.C.I.	Wing	4—0
Y.M.C.I.	Randall	6—0
Y.M.C.I.	Wing	8—0
Y.M.C.I.	Wing	10—0
Cadets	Kenney	10—2
Y.M.C.I.	Waldron	12—2
Cadets	Foul	12—3
SECOND PERIOD		
Cadets	Kenney	12—5
Cadets	D. O'Connor	12—7
THIRD PERIOD		
Cadets	J. O'Connor	12—11
Cadets	Foul	12—12
Cadets	D. O'Connor	12—14

Summary: Score, Cadets 14, Y.M.C.I. 12. Goals, by D. O'Connor 2, J. O'Connor, Kenney 3, Wing 3, Waldron 2, Randall. Fouls: By Cadets 1, by Y.M.C.I. 8. Time: Three periods of 15 minutes. Referee, O'Brien.

Preliminary Game

In the preliminary game at Crescent rink last night the Junior Holy Name quintet of the Immaculate Conception church defeated the Y.M.C.I. Seconds by the score of 8 to 6. The lineups:

JUNIOR H. N.	Y.M.C.I. SECONDS
Dansbery, Riley rf	lf Perry, Leary
[illegible]	[illegible] Tyros
[illegible]	rg Sullivan, Joyce
[illegible]	Jarrett, Donnelly
[illegible]	lf Gibbons
[illegible]	Coupe, Sylvester

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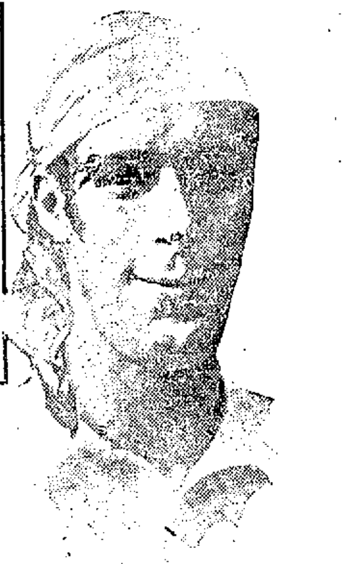


MR. BILL VALENTINO

BY JOE WILLIAMS

Mr. William Tilden II is headed for the movies. Whether the recent edict barring tennis players from writing pieces for the daily journals had anything to do with his decision is unknown.

All we know is that Bill—beg pardon, William Tilden II, is determined to star in the films. The tennis champion is not without experience or skill as an entertainer. Only lately he played with the famous Providence players in Booth Tarkington's "Clarence," portraying the name role.

A cloak of mystery has been thrown about Tilden's screen future.

Will he go in for humor of the light, delicate, exquisite type as practised, say, by Mr. Charles Chaplin, of the junior-size mustache and the loose, free-hanging pantaloons?

Or will he lay siege to the romantic standing of Valentino, the nude massage beauty?

Or will the loftier and more magnificent forms of tragedy prove to be the champion's forte? A great Hamlet he would make—

"To be or not to be; that is the question:
Whether it is nobler in the mind to suffer
The slings and arrows of an outraged fortune,
Or to take arms against a sea of troubles,
And by opposing end them? To die—"

To die? Well, we don't wish to appear hard or unsympathetic, but if Mr. Tilden were to die or do something, it would at least break the monopoly which now exists in tennis, and then maybe Bill Johnston or one of the other boys might have a chance.

Twin-Sixes of High School Track Team

DAVID LATHAM — ERNEST LATHAM

When twins are so much alike that neither knows whether he is himself or his brother, that is the superlative of twinship.

We would not venture to say that such a condition actually exists in relation to Dave and Ernest Latham, the Twin-Sixes of this year's high school track team, but it is a cinch that no one outside of the family knows one from the other and even those within the Latham family circle get mixed up at times.

The only way Coach George Haggerty can classify their identities is to look at Dave and if he winks his right eye, it's Ernest.

The Latham twins are going to have a lot to say this year about every 600-yard event run off in connection with the season's dual track meets. It is hard enough to beat one of them, but to beat the pair is something else again. In appearance, height and running action they are synchroneous and just to show how closely they adhere to their twinship, at a recent practice session they ran two dead heats over the 600 yard route. Can you beat that?

Both boys are capable of hanging up new record figures in their favorite event and Coach Haggerty will not be surprised to see them as joint record holders before the 1924 season wanes. They are juniors, which means they will be campaigning next year. Why not make them twin captains?

BOTH CLAIM VICTORY

Managers of Fruzetti and Norton Can See Only Victory Tomorrow Night

Letters were received by The Sun today from the managers of Tansey Norton and Jimmy Fruzetti and both predicted victory for their boys in tomorrow night's Moody club main event.

While they both can't win, a glance at the statements of the rival pilots will show that both think they can. Under the rules of the state boxing commission there must be a winner and a loser in all bouts. No draws are allowed. Hence, regardless of how close the battling may be a decision to one must be announced.

Take Your Pick

Jack Burns, manager of Fruzetti writes as follows: "While I still think Fruzetti won over Norton the last time they met and that the decision against him was a rank injustice, I will say that in Thursday night's bout all that will be necessary is a referee who can count ten. Jimmy is determined to stop Norton this time and thus eliminate any possibility of a repetition of the previous decision.

"I am pleased," continues Burns, "to hear the boxing commission has taken cognizance of the unsatisfactory decisions handed out in Lowell recently and as a result has announced a new board of judges for the coming bout. That's good news, for the way Fruzetti is boxing I still feel confident the services of the referee will be all that is necessary tomorrow night."

Jackie Williams, pilot for Tansey Norton, says in part:

"Tell the Lowell fans Norton is all set to add another victory to his ever growing list. He has trained diligently for Thursday night's bout and I'll be surprised if he fails to score a knockout.

"Now, while I realize not all the fans felt Norton was entitled to the decision in the last bout, I can safely say that the majority with whom I talked after the bout were satisfied. Of course I know Norton is not very popular in some sections of Lowell, due to his quick knockout of Martin Flaherty, his victory over Doyle and his defeat of Johnny Aylin, but in other parts of the town where a boxer is given credit for his ability, regardless of whom he may defeat, my boy enjoys much favor. One thing about Norton that always pleases the neutral fan, however, is that in victory or defeat he always puts up a good battle."

COLLEGE STAR JOINS GIANTS

Paul Florence, Sensational Georgetown Athlete Was Sought by 13 Other Clubs

High Regard for McGraw's Ability as Manager and Tutor of Young Players Deciding Factor

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Paul Florence, sensational catcher and all-around athlete of Georgetown university, was sought by 13 other major league clubs before he signed for 1924 with the New York Giants.

High regard for John J. McGraw's ability as a manager and tutor of young players, led Florence to accept the offer of the National league champions, it is said.

"I wanted to get with a manager from whom I could learn," Florence is quoted as saying. "I watched Mr. McGraw on the field. I liked his tactics. I think that from what I have heard from big league stars, McGraw has no peer when it comes to teaching recruits the game. That is why I turned down the 13 other scouts."

Called by Clark Griffith of the Washington senators, a "Second Babe Ruth," Florence starred as a basketball, baseball and football player at Georgetown, captaining teams in each of these branches of sport. He had one year of study but decided to report to the Giants this spring, declaring that he is gambling with baseball as against a preference for law, as did Frankie Frisch.

Florence was born in Chicago 22 years ago. He is over six feet tall and weighs 190 pounds.

FIRPO IN SYNDICATE

Group of Wealthy Men to Build Fight Stadium to Seat 125,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Luis Firpo will have a double financial interest in his fight with Harry Wills next July.

Besides his $250,000 guarantee, with a privilege of 25 per cent. of the net receipts, he also will have an interest in the special sunken stadium, which is to be constructed by a newly formed syndicate with which the Argentine has cast his lot.

A group of wealthy men, whose identities have not been revealed, are back of the syndicate. Options already are held on half dozen sites in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, the most favorable to be decided upon later.

Constructed of concrete, the stadium will have a seating capacity of 125,000. Plans already have been drawn and approved. The cost is expected to be less than would be required to construct a similar structure of wood above ground. In addition, dangers from collapse or fire, will be eliminated.

LOWELL AND TOWNSEND HIGH TONIGHT

When Lowell high lines up against Townsend high in the basketball arena this evening, Louris, star centre, will not be in the lineup. Due to illness, Louris has been out of recent practices and will not be in condition to play against Townsend. Flaherty will probably jump centre in his place, with Capt. O'Sullivan and Georges, forwards, and Sutherland and Welch, guards. The game will start at 7.30 o'clock.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR LOWELL HIGH

The final date on the baseball schedule for Lowell high school next spring has been secured, and the schedule was released by James Conway, faculty manager of athletics, this morning. Commencing April 19, the nine will play every Wednesday and Saturday until June 11. The opposing teams this year include representatives from the Boston School league, the Suburban league and other strong aggregations in Massachusetts that will keep the local players on their toes every minute in order to win a majority of the games. The second Lawrence game this year has been placed in last position on the schedule, so that in case it is necessary to play a third and decisive game in the series there will be no letdown in training before it is played. The strongest team on the schedule is Somerville, champions of the Suburban league for 1923. With only three letter men to start the season Coach Liston and Captain Daley will have a big job on their hands looking over the new material and welding it into first class shape. The schedule is as follows:

Saturday, April 19, Townsend at Lowell.
Wednesday, April 23, Somerville at Somerville.
Saturday, April 26, Concord, N. H. at Lowell.
Wednesday, April 30, Boston English at Lowell.
Saturday, May 3, Fitchburg at Fitchburg.
Wednesday, May 7, Lawrence at [illegible]
Saturday, May 10, Nashua at Nashua.
Wednesday, May 14, Haverhill at Lowell.
Saturday, May 17, Concord, N. H. at Concord.
Wednesday, May 21, Haverhill at [illegible]
Saturday, May 24, Fitchburg at Lowell.
Saturday, May 31, Manchester at Manchester.
Wednesday, June 4, Nashua at Lowell.
Saturday, June 7, Manchester at Lowell.
Wednesday, June 11, Lawrence at [illegible]

HOPPE TO PLAY HOREMANS

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Willie Hoppe, who successfully defended his world's 18.2 balk line billiard title against Walker Cochran, and young Jake Schaefer this season, has accepted a challenge of Edouard Horemans, of Belgium, for a third challenge match this year, it became known here today. Hoppe has deposited his $500 forfeit to bind the match. A conference will be arranged between Hoppe and Horemans to decide on terms and dates of the match.

Billy Evans SAYS

A year ago turf experts were singing the praises of Jockey Johnny Corcoran. The young man was the sensation of the New Orleans meet. His uncanny ability in putting over winners at long prices made him the most talked about youngster of the year. Followers of the turf played Corcoran rather than his mount and as a rule were well repaid. Johnny Corcoran is still riding, every now and then he comes home in front, but no longer does he win with the almost monotonous regularity that featured his career as an apprentice boy.

Jockey Ivan Parke is the young man who is hogging the turf spotlight at present. Bringing home 173 winners out of 718 mounts won for him the riding championship of 1923.

What does the coming year hold forth for Parke? Will he fade out as have many others after losing their apprentice allowance of five pounds? It is my recollection that Parke won his first race March 9, 1923. Jockeys after winning their first race are given an allowance of five pounds on every horse they ride for a year. Parke is due to graduate from the apprentice class on March 9, 1924. From that date on he will be put to the big test. It will be up to him to demonstrate whether he is a real rider, or whether the five-pound allowance was the advantage that enabled him to bring home so many winners last year.

Despite Parke's remarkable success which gained for him the riding honors of 1923, and the fact that he has continued his great work at New Orleans this year, many of the turf experts remain skeptical as to his future.

One thing that augurs much for Parke's continued success is the fact that his brilliant riding hasn't gone to his head. He is the same unassuming youngster he was the day he won his first race. Parke admits that no victory scored since has given him quite the thrill of putting over the first winner of his career. Confidence is one of his greatest assets. He is very frank to say that failure to win is a decided disappointment, regardless of the class of his mount. His great love of victory causes him to put forth his best efforts at all times and those who wager on the race feel certain they will always get a run for their money with Parke up.

Ability to rate pace, and know his own horse, as well as the other entries in the race, are his two strong points. Never has Parke been accused of giving his mount a bad ride.

Parke hails from Delco, Idaho. Brought up on a ranch, it is only natural that he soon learned the art of riding. As a kid his greatest delight was following cowboys on a round-up. He rode his first winner at Tia Juana. It is a rather interesting coincidence that Earl Sande and the Fator brothers, three of the country's best jockeys, should hail from Parke's section of the country. Wyoming claiming them. Like Parke, they learned to ride following the cowboys.

While Parke may be slightly handicapped by the loss of his five-pound allowance, when he becomes a full-fledged jockey, it seems safe to predict that he will continue his winning ways and earn the right to be classed as one of the turf's greatest riders.

STAR BOXER THROUGH

Harold Smith, a year ago considered a coming champion in the bantamweight class, is now through. Smith hurt his knee in a bout with Danny Lee. The injury refused to respond to treatment and Smith had to give up the game. He had prospects of making $50,000 in the ring when hurt.

VETERANS ARE SLIPPING

The two veteran star catchers of the American league, Ray Schalk and Steve O'Neill, are both slipping a lot, if their work of last summer is a criterion.

The Nut Cracker

by Joe Williams

Because his decision was unpopular a fight referee in Chicago was shot. This beats arguing all to pieces, and is much more conclusive.

A Michigan college boy named Short is to play in the big leagues next summer and we are wondering what the boys will call him for short.

A convention of wrestlers is to be held to draw up uniform rules. May we not suggest that they assemble at Great Falls?

The route over which the cross-country runners will go in the Olympic games is to be kept secret. Now if they'll only keep the race secret, too!

Some cabaret ruffian gave Charlie Chaplin a black eye the other night. It doesn't take much to give the movies a black eye these days.

We are surprised to read that Farmer Lodge has promised to kayo Firpo in four rounds. The farmer never impressed us as being promising.

Of course all boxing champions have great footwork. That's how they sidestep dangerous opponents.

Having had no previous experience as a messenger boy, it is not surprising that Jack Parry declined to sign as Clark Griffith's manager.

CHURCH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Three church league basketball games were played in the Y.M.C.A. gym last night with the following results: St. Paul's 25, Centralville Methodist, 5; First Baptist, 35, North Tewksbury 1, St. John's 2, Fifth Street Baptist 0 (by forfeit).

The standing:

	Won	Lost	Pts.
First Baptist	4	0	1.000
First Congregation	4	0	1.000
St. John's	4	0	1.000
Chelmsford St. Baptist	3	1	.750
Calvary Baptist	2	2	.500
Pawtucket Cong.	2	2	.500
St. Paul's	1	2	.333
Eliot Union	1	3	.250
Fifth St. Baptist	1	3	.250
No. Tewksbury Baptist	1	3	.250
Centralville Meth	0	4	.000
Grace Universalist	0	4	.000

THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

At the commencement of this week the Bartlett school team led the junior high school league with a perfect record of five games won and none lost. Coach Joe Duffy has gotten together a speedy little team who show all the class of a regular high school varsity, and the Morey school, coached by Jim Roane is not far behind, with the only spot on the record for them being the defeat suffered at the hands of the Bartlett school. The standing of the league at present is as follows:

	Won	Lost
Bartlett	5	0
Chas. W. Morey	4	1
Edson	3	3
Butler	2	3
Varnum	2	3
Moody	0	6

BASKETBALL NOTES

The Franklin A.C. opened its basketball season last Saturday night by defeating the fast Eagles of Manchester, N. H., by the score of 13 to 10. Capt. Roy Foster, with eleven baskets to his credit, starred for the local quintet. McMahon caged nine, McInnis five and Moriarty, three. Courtney played a whale of a game as substitute for Alfario, who was out with injuries.

THIS BIRD CAN HIT

Paul Berlenbach, young New York middleweight, is said to be one of the hardest hitters in the game. Berlenbach is soon to box Young Stribling in a six-round bout at Madison Square Garden. Berlenbach has won 20 consecutive fights by knockout.

KNICKERSUIT

The two-piece knickersuit of English worsted in tan, russet or brown is conspicuous at country clubs and winter resorts.

BASEBALL EFFICIENCY AIDS HOCKEY PLAYERS

CHAMONIX, France, [illegible] Baseball [illegible] [illegible] the European [illegible]

Both [illegible]

[illegible] good stead.

"This [illegible] on the Fourth of [illegible] for the weather [illegible] the game.

INDUSTRIAL SOCCER LEAGUE

The Industrial Soccer league [illegible] drawal of the General Electric [illegible] Lynn. [illegible] place is given [illegible] speculation [illegible] now as to the status of [illegible] the league, as the officials [illegible] them of points [illegible] Abbot Worsted [illegible] points [illegible] Fore River, the league leader, [illegible] lost four points.

MOODY CLUB
Crescent Rink, Thursday, 8.15
10 Rounds
Jimmy Fruzetti, Brockton, vs.
Tansey Norton, Roxbury
8 Rounds
Jimmy Reed, Brockton, vs.
Leo Desrosiers, Nashua

COLLEGE AND CLUB STARS MATCH SPEED

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The pick of [illegible] club stars will match speed [illegible] brawn tonight in the concluding features of the two-night [illegible] held carnival of the Millrose A. A. at Madison Square Garden.

[illegible] attracted a record-breaking [illegible] than 500 performers [illegible] part of the country. [illegible]

[illegible] a series of [illegible] Murchison [illegible]

[illegible] International [illegible] program.

$25,000 AMERICAN DERBY AT KALAMAZOO

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Jan. 30.—A $25,000 American Derby for 3 year olds, said to be the largest stake ever offered in a [illegible] event in this country, will be a feature of the five day grand circuit meeting that starts here July 21. The race is sponsored by [illegible] Chicago horsemen.

Simultaneously with the announcement of awarding the Derby to Kalamazoo, Ross Turner over the 27 entries for the event he already has received. The closing date is fixed as Feb. 18, and [illegible] are expected to be listed before the books close.

MISS COLLETT EQUALS COURSE RECORD

[illegible] Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, [illegible] national [illegible] the course record yesterday [illegible] around in 77 and defeated Mrs. [illegible] tournament.

[illegible]

HOME INTERESTS BUY NEWARK CLUB

[illegible] Newark [illegible] baseball [illegible]

[illegible]

MENOSKY WAS POPULAR

[illegible] the [illegible] outfielder [illegible] circuit.

ADMUS [illegible]

Asked [illegible] training efforts on the [illegible] in the coming Olympiad [illegible] colorful [illegible] future?

"Sure, who [illegible] will be a coach for me."

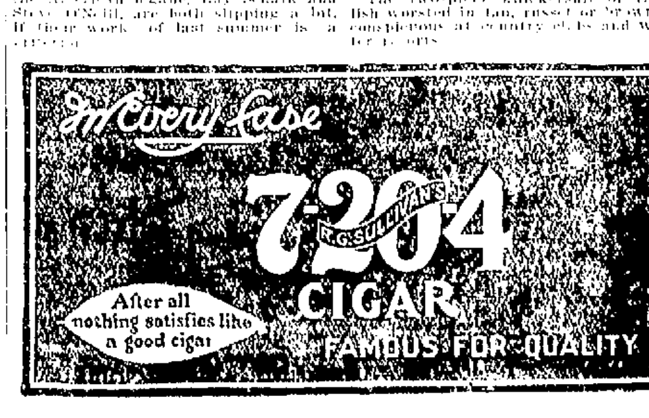
Mr. Jole [illegible] those who [illegible] in them selves.

Mr. Ray [illegible] arrogant or cocky as [illegible] had hearers to [illegible] thing he does not lack is confidence.

TO NAME COACH FOR CENTRE COLLEGE

DANVILLE, Ky., Jan. 30.—Task of selecting a [illegible] for "Uncle Charley" Moran [illegible] Praying Colonels [illegible] coach of [illegible] the hands [illegible] been placed in [illegible] of Centre [illegible] board of trustees [illegible] trustees to [illegible] A meeting of the [illegible] submitted [illegible] recommendation [illegible] control of [illegible] athletic board [illegible] for next [illegible] has been [illegible]

"Bo" McMillin [illegible] former star of [illegible] Colonels [illegible] coach at Centre [illegible] college, St. [illegible] came here [illegible] last week [illegible] conference with the [illegible] the authorities [illegible] President R. [illegible] Montgomery [illegible] McMillin [illegible] expected [illegible] here until [illegible] the trustees [illegible] He has [illegible] strong [illegible] on the student body and support [illegible] the Centre team [illegible] the post [illegible] coach since [illegible] resigned [illegible] Bucknell college.



Cagey Cagers Fool 'Em All in Western Tilts

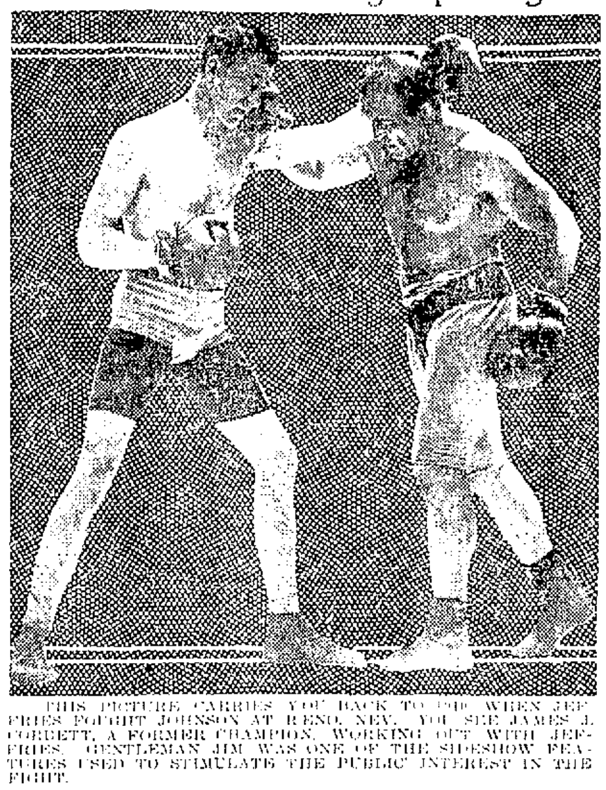
LEFT TO RIGHT: TRAUTMAN, LOVELEY, SPEICHLER, THREE OUTSTANDING CREIGHTON STARS.

What Notre Dame is to football, Creighton University of Omaha is to basketball if the claims of western critics are to be believed.

Two Big Ten quintets, one of them titleholder in the season of 1922-23, have already bowed in defeat before the Omaha quintet and predictions are numerous and confident that the Blue and White cagers will skim through the remainder of the schedule, including Nebraska, South Dakota, Notre Dame, Aggies, Marquette and other strong teams, without a defeat.

The Blue's decisive defeat of Iowa, Big Ten champs, at Omaha recently, score 36 to 13, stamped the Creightonites as one of the most formidable teams in the country. Indiana has also taken the count at the hands of the Creighton crew.

The Art of "Smoking Up" Fights



THIS PICTURE CARRIES YOU BACK TO THE WHEN JEFFRIES FOUGHT JOHNSON AT RENO, NEV. YOU SEE JAMES J. CORBETT, A FORMER CHAMPION, WORKING OUT WITH JEFFRIES. GENTLEMAN JIM WAS ONE OF THE SIDESHOW FEATURES USED TO STIMULATE THE PUBLIC INTEREST IN THE FIGHT.

BY JOE WILLIAMS

You read some days ago where Jim Jeffries had been signed for $75,000 to teach Luis Firpo how to use his left hand.

Later the story was denied. It was all news to Firpo. "Not out of my money will Senor Jeffries get $75,000," exclaimed the extremely frugal Mr. Firpo. Jeffries expressed a willingness to accept the assignment at the terms quoted but confessed no one had consulted him.

The insiders were not surprised that the idea failed to materialize. They sensed in the beginning that it was the bunk. All major fistic attractions must perforce be subjected to a certain "smoking-up" process. And the best way to "smoke-up" a return Dempsey-Firpo fight is to emphasize the strengthening of the senor's left.

Corbett Smoked It Up

Firpo's right speaks for itself. His left, though, is as useless as a sponge in a sun bath. If he is to perform with greater credit against Dempsey when they meet again he must develop at least elementary skill with his left. Whether Jeffries, as a teacher, would do him any good is a question. Jeff's presence in the training camp, however, would stir the fans' imagination.

Jim Corbett was the instrument through which interest was "smoked up" to a fever heat in Jeffries' fight against Jack Johnson. Tex Rickard, the promoter, had Corbett come out to Reno to teach Jeffries foot work and speed him up. Corbett was all in himself at the time and the boilermaker, awkward as he was, easily outstepped him. However, the mere fact that Corbett was in the old champion's camp was an added touch and heightened the excitement.

If Firpo had Jeffries' left hand he would be an odds-on favorite to beat Dempsey next summer. No heavyweight ever had a better left hand than the Californian. It wasn't naturally his own, either. Tommy Ryan, the great little middleweight, taught him how to shoot the left to the body and the head.

Ryan Won for Jeff

Through Ryan's teaching Jeff acquired the skill with which he knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons and won the title. Jeff hit Fitz on the jaw with a left in the second round and knocked him flat. Fitz managed to get back on his feet but was all at sea and Jeff finally brought him down for keeps in the eleventh.

This suggests that Ryan would make a better teacher for Firpo than the docile, uninspired Jeffries—a better teacher, no doubt, but not a more vivid theatrical poster.

And it so happens that the theatrical posters are what the promoters want.

BILL TO RETIRE MATRONS

Lowell Representatives Support Bill to Retire City Matrons on Half Pay

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Representatives Charles H. Slowey, Thomas J. Corbett and Owen J. Brennan of Lowell appeared before the legislative committee on Social Welfare yesterday in support of the bill, filed by the former, to authorize the city of Lowell to retire certain matrons on half pay.

Mr. Slowey explained that the bill [illegible] about ten women employed by the city as cleaners, and is in line with the general policy of the commonwealth to permit cities and towns to reward faithful employes who [illegible] old in the public service.

There was no opposition and the committee took the matter under advisement.

HOYT

BLAMES MAGNATES FOR SOCIALISM

[illegible], Jan. 30.—John Hodge, [illegible], who was minister of labor and [illegible] in the coalition government, told a gathering of iron and steel magnates last evening that they were the men who were preparing the ground for socialism of which most of them were afraid.

"The great combines which are being formed in this and other countries," he said, "are simply an evolutionary process, and as soon as the steel, iron and tin plate works are all in one big combine, it will be easy to socialize it."

ATTACK ON PACIFISTS

Theodore Roosevelt Says His Brother's Death in War Due to Unpreparedness

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Quentin Roosevelt died in the war because the airplane in which he crashed to death was a poor one, and therefore his death was due to unpreparedness, Theodore Roosevelt, his brother, said before the Kansas society, last night in a preparedness speech. He declared:

"I myself have led green troops to the front line, and have led by own seasoned men, and I know the difference was in the casualties.

Mr. Roosevelt said the doctrines of pacifists and preachers of disarmament made him so mad he could "jump up and down and scream."

"One argument put forward by the pacifists is that having a large army and navy induces other nations to attack you," he said. "That's just flapdoodle. The six footer with a chest like a barrel and big fists coming down the street—he's not the fellow that is picked on for a fight, is he?"

NEW PROGRESSIVE PARTY

Representatives of 22 States Meet in Convention at Omaha, Neb.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 30.—The people's progressive party of which Roy M. Harrop of Omaha is chairman and which claims representation in 22 states, will meet in convention here today for the purpose of selecting nominees for president and vice president and formulating a platform. Nominees will be named by a mass convention, according to Mr. Harrop who called the meeting.

Robert Pointer of Dearborn, Mich., said by Mr. Harrop to be the personal representative of Henry Ford, is expected to attend.

Features predicted by Mr. Harrop to be embraced in the platform of the party include repeal of the federal reserve law, soldiers' bonus, direct election of president and vice president, a referendum on war before it can be declared, abolition of child labor by a constitutional amendment and direct government loans to farmers and to industry at an interest rate not to exceed [illegible] per cent.

NOVEL DEBATE BY DRACUT GRANGE

The year's program of Dracut grange activities is announced as follows:

February 18, patriotic entertainment; March 3, literary night; March 17, Worthy Pomona's night; April 7, first and second degrees; April 21, third and fourth degrees; May 19, educational aid, third night; June 16, children's night; July 21, [illegible]; August [illegible]; September [illegible], officers' night; September 15, reception to [illegible] teachers and school [illegible]; October [illegible], first and second degrees; October [illegible], third and fourth degrees; November 3, "Old Home" night; November [illegible], annual election of officers; December [illegible], debate.

At the next meeting of the grange February 4, there will be a debate on the subject "Resolved: [illegible] bachelors from [illegible] be compelled to contribute to the support of those who are made from necessity."

BOWLING

O'DONNELL'S PETS WIN

O'DONNELL'S PETS

J. McCleary	77	82	84	243
Sid Laycock	90	78	86	254
J. Furcilo	82	76	94	252
E. Pentelbone	95	72	97	264
T. O'Donnell	83	96	81	260
Totals	427	404	442	1273

LOWELL FELT

C. Searles	77	66	80	223
H. Arnold	83	72	105	260
Sullivan	80	95	85	260
J. Parent	93	82	78	253
Roy Wilbur	84	77	79	240
Totals	417	392	427	1236

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO LEAGUE

LOADERS

Maguire	83	97	91	281
Pearson	83	101	74	268
McKillop	71	88	88	247
Quirk	94	81	95	270
O'Neil	99	96	75	270
Totals	443	463	426	1326

RADIATORS

Smith	100	83	94	277
Lebrun	72	86	83	241
Burrows	81	92	90	263
King	76	75	89	240
Byrne	87	87	72	246
Totals	416	423	428	1267

SHOT SHELL

Lynch	105	91	105	301
Canton	76	81	79	236
Spillane	80	82	81	243
Brooks	93	74	85	252
O'Brien	80	92	114	292
Totals	440	420	464	1324

MACHINE

McKelvey	82	82	104	268
Riley	78	72	72	222
Keefe	75	92	76	243
Sweeney	91	91	93	275
Reynolds	77	96	81	254
Totals	403	433	426	1262

NO. FOUR

Shannon	81	85	76	242
J. J. Leonard	79	89	82	250
Connors	90	93	89	272
Ford	88	98	83	269
O'Dea	96	93	92	281
Totals	434	458	422	1314

NO. TWO

J. Leonard	89	99	80	268
Carney	61	58	63	182
Devereux	87	84	93	264
Kittredge	83	102	83	268
Regan	85	83	99	267
Totals	405	426	418	1249

NO. THREE

Flemings	83	94	86	263
Daly	86	79	84	249
Harvey	88	89	74	251
Lynch	113	102	76	291
Sheffield	91	94	82	267
Totals	461	458	402	1321

NO. ONE

Cunningham	77	60	69	206
McGarrhan	89	79	93	261
Donahue	74	68	87	229
Ryan	87	78	84	249
Barrett	86	89	93	268
Totals	413	374	436	1223

KITSON LEAGUE

TEAM NO. 2

M. Molloy	67	81	82	230
Houlard	76	93	92	261
Bengston	87	75	87	249
P. Molloy	92	97	102	291
W. Welcome	81	80	86	247
Totals	403	426	449	1278

TEAM NO. 3

Paquette	77	65	89	231
Lockwood	99	92	86	277
Furlong	92	85	93	270
Maille	86	87	74	216
Conway	79	87	92	258
Totals	432	436	434	1302

TEAM FIVE

Molloy	74	72	71	217
Labete	94	89	102	279
Connors	80	101	76	257
Lyons	75	84	93	253
Laperre	89	96	87	272
Totals	409	437	432	1278

TEAM SIX

Buston	78	79	82	289
Kelley	85	79	81	245
Gregoire	112	92	81	285

Casper	86	89	84	259
Sub	71	72	74	217
Totals	432	411	405	1248

TEAM NO. 1

J. Vaughan	72	86	75	233
Shaw	81	83	85	249
Shea	72	75	80	227
Everson	86	92	104	282
Totals	311	336	344	991

TEAM NO. 4

Kenney	80	89	87	256
Hickey	75	76	79	230
McDermott	96	102	96	258
W. Welcome	61	76	57	194
Totals	306	343	319	968

WATERHEAD LEAGUE

Following are the scores of games in the Waterhead Mill league Monday night on the Gorham street alleys:

NO. ONE

Pearson	92	86	79	257
Sheehan	85	90	126	300
Hawkins	74	88	76	238
Burns	91	89	92	282
Spencer	93	86	102	281
Totals	435	451	474	1360

NO. SIX

McDonough	92	110	96	298
Bax	90	71	78	239
Sub	74	86	76	236
Gibbons	88	93	96	277
Houston	95	84	83	262
Totals	439	444	429	1312

NO. FIVE

Sub	86	82	79	247
Fuller	82	113	110	305
Stoffer	78	82	100	260
Garnett	80	90	87	257
Duggan	92	92	84	268
Totals	418	459	460	1337

NO. TWO

Sub	78	82	84	244
McDavitt	94	78	81	253
Holmes	93	81	79	253
Buchanan	88	94	82	261
Waterhouse	86	96	81	266
Totals	439	431	410	1280

NO. THREE

Fairbrother	87	97	101	285
Ward	89	117	89	295
Valiski	91	96	81	268
Hedlund	81	99	73	253
Nichols	102	90	110	302
Totals	450	493	460	1403

NO. FOUR

McGrade	92	84	85	261
Muldoon	79	94	90	263
Barber	106	93	98	297
Sayball	79	94	100	273
Ellis	100	84	99	283
Totals	456	449	472	1377

BENOIT'S HUSTLERS WIN

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Gillis	88	79	99	266
J. Heald	110	90	110	310
Benoit	104	136	96	336
Duffy	81	95	87	263
Marsh	86	115	89	290
Totals	469	515	481	1465

UNION MARKET

Cassidy	82	84	76	242
Mulcahy	101	122	89	312
Kennedy	78	83	98	259
McGovern	103	79	98	280
Dean	93	99	84	276
Totals	457	467	445	1369

CLAN GRANT

CAMERON HIGHLANDERS

A. Ritchie	109	86	102	297
N. Robinson	89	99	74	262
John Adams	83	83	92	258
W. Brown	97	89	93	279
Jas. Adams	99	102	102	303
Totals	477	459	463	1399

CLAN GRANTS

Sub	84	70	90	244
J. Shields	80	104	84	268
J. Brady	83	80	89	252
Sub	83	83	74	240
J. Fraser	102	91	92	285
Totals	432	428	429	1289

THISTLE 5

Middleton	70	81	90	241
Burns	88	78	94	260

Edgar	114	89	84	287
Ritchie	109	88	81	278
Thompson	95	105	106	306
Totals	475	444	455	1375

BLACK WATCH

McGowan	91	97	99	287
Smith	73	84	85	242
Williamson	86	99	108	293
Campbell	85	78	92	255
McKenzie	99	96	94	290
Totals	435	454	478	1357

BAY STATE LEAGUE

POLOS

Bovine	103	79	88	268
Casey	88	110	87	275
Nugent	93	105	92	290
Harrigan	82	86	90	258
Walsh	77	105	91	273
Totals	442	485	446	1364

BOLIVIAS

Bean	71	104	73	248
Maxwell	81	80	88	249
Higgins	93	86	79	258
Laffey	91	95	97	283
Leach	84	98	137	319
Totals	420	463	474	1357

VELOURS

Keohane	85	114	92	291
Taylor	96	86	90	272
Shanks	104	91	89	284
Totals	285	291	271	847

FANCIES

Daly	78	80	89	247
Ripley	74	81	93	258
Corr	82	80	83	245
Totals	234	241	265	750

DISCOVERY OF SMALL CACHE OF RIFLES

HAVANA, Cuba, Jan. 30.—The discovery of a small cache of rifles and ammunition by the rural guard on a farm near Santa Clara, capital of Santa Clara province, has been reported to the government officials, who are investigating. Despatches to local newspapers say that about 30 rifles, 5000 rounds of ammunition and a quantity of dynamite were found. Dr. Oscar Soto, secretary-general of the veterans and patriots association, immediately issued a statement asserting that organization had nothing to do with the munitions.

MALTREATED IN SEPARATIST JAIL

BERLIN, Jan. 30. A telegram from Speyer, the Bavarian palatinate, says a bank official named Grieser was so severely maltreated while in a separatist jail that he died of concussion of the brain.

DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMEN MEET

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. Democratic members of the house met in caucus today to approve minority selections to the new veterans' committee.

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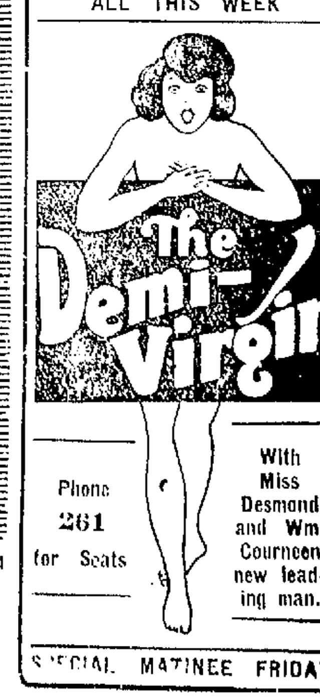

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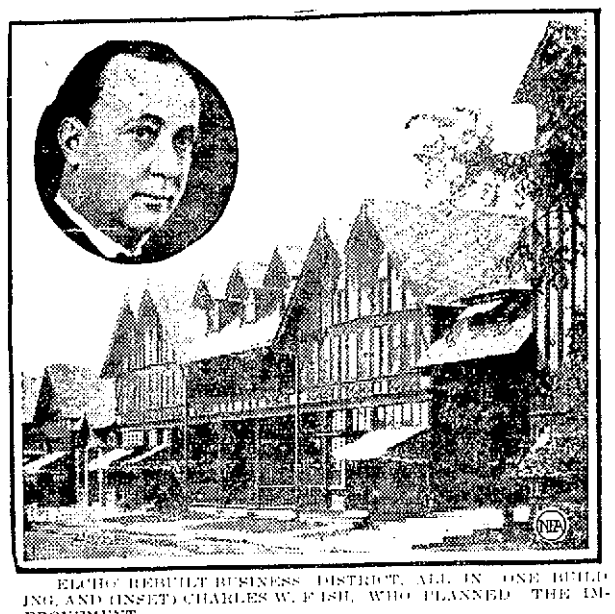


ELCHO REBUILT BUSINESS DISTRICT, ALL IN ONE BUILDING, AND (INSET) CHARLES W. FISH, WHO PLANNED THE IMPROVEMENT.

FIRE MAKES ELCHO ARTISTIC MAIN STREET

By N.E.A. Service

ELCHO, Wis., Jan. 29. Chas. W. Fish has at last fulfilled his ambition to beautiful Elcho—but it took a disastrous fire to help him make Elcho the most picturesque community in Wisconsin.

Where formerly were unbeautiful shacks now stand artistic buildings, designed by a man who had been waiting for years to build a model community.

Elcho is a lumbering town. The property was platted early in the "eighties" when utility rather than beauty was the rule of the pioneers.

Fish, wealthy lumberman, who came here 25 years ago, had his imagination fired by pictures of English communities. When he rebuilt Elcho he carried out the English architectural idea.

The entire business of the town is now transacted in one building. At one end is a department store. Then there is a bank, a drug store, a hotel, a barber shop, a dentist's office, the Fish Lumber Company offices and the new depot.

The old boarding house of the village was moved to a back street to make room for the new club house, which is one of the three most attractive of its kind in the state. The town has 150 attractive homes and now represents the complete realization of Fish's dream.

HENRY FORD DECLINES

Sees No Need for Himself or Representative to Appear Before Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Henry Ford today informed the house military committee he thought it unnecessary for himself or any representative to appear before the committee for further discussion as to his offer for Muscle Shoals.

"Futher hearings," said Mr. Ford in a telegram to Chairman Kahn, "would only serve to delay action and unnecessarily consume the time of a busy and important committee of congress already in possession of all the facts."

B. U. STAR TO PLAY WITH PORTLAND CLUB

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Gordon H. Cochran, captain of the 1924 Boston university baseball nine, has signed a contract to play with the Portland club of the Pacific Coast league. He will leave next month to begin spring training in California.

Cochran also has been on the football, basketball, hockey and boxing teams at the university and has broken all records there by winning 10 athletic letters. He played in various positions on the nine last season. His home is in Bridgewater.

RE-EXAMINE POLICEMEN

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29. Carrying out his plans for the elimination of physically unfit men from the police force, Director of Public Safety Butler today ordered the first group of 700 men reported as "incompetent" by the lieutenants of various districts, to report for physical examination at city hall. The entire 700 men will be given rigid tests, it was said, to determine their fitness for further service.

INSURGENT MINERS WANT BAN REMOVED

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 29.—(By the Associated Press)—Amendments to the constitution, including several proposals that the ban against Ku Klux Klan membership be withdrawn and others attacking the appointive powers of the international president were before the United Mine Workers convention today.

Several attacks on the administration because of the power President Lewis has to appoint international organizers, the editor of the Mine Workers Journal and the officers and committees of the convention have been started on the floor, but have all been shut off hitherto.

It is believed convention committees will advise no change from the provision providing expulsion for any miner joining the Ku Klux Klan; and also will advise no change in the appointive power of the president.

President Lewis views the demand for election of organizers as continuation of the fight on him by the insurgents.

OPPOSE DICTATORIAL POWERS FOR POINCARE

PARIS, Jan. 29 (by the Associated Press).—The socialist radicals continued their dilatory tactics in the chamber of deputies this morning, endeavoring to submerge in a flood of amendments and counter projects the proposals Premier Poincare has made for the purpose of balancing the budget and effecting drastic economies in French administration. Ernest Lafont, socialist, insisted in a vehement speech that it was impossible to accept such a reactionary measure as the one proposing to give Premier Poincare dictatorial powers in carrying out the reforms.

ROBBED OF $100,000 IN JEWELRY

WORCESTER, Jan. 29.—It became known here today that Mrs. Charles Henry Hutchins, widow of the former head of the Crompton & Knowles Loom Works, has been robbed of jewelry estimated to be worth at least $100,000.

EVERETT TRUE

ADAM AND EVA

THEY CALL THIS "HARE AND HOUNDS"

When it comes to strenuous outdoor exercise, don't overlook "hare and hounds," as played on skis at Lake Placid, N. Y. An expert skier was the "hare," and had ten minutes' start over a bevy of girls who were "hounds." Here's one of the obstacles Miss Genevieve Brooks, Portland, Ore., had to overcome in seeking to catch the elusive "hare."

REV. WILSON WATERS LIONS' CLUB SPEAKER

A brief outline of the history of Brig. Gen. Charles G. Dawes and a sketch of his character were given by Rev. Wilson Waters, rector of All Saints' church in Chelmsford at the regular meeting of the Lions' club yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. President Charles E. Bartlett introduced the speaker. Mr. Waters was a boyhood friend of Gen. Dawes in the town of Marietta, Ohio. At the outset, Gen. Dawes took up the study of law, but in summer he devoted his time to the study of civil engineering. Although poor in his youth, he found a gas company in Evanston, Ill., that was nearly bankrupt and negotiated its purchase by borrowing funds. So well did he manage its affairs that it is now worth millions of dollars, and he has been enabled to secure control of other companies in Washington, Alabama and Texas.

His character is frank and open, with a certain bluntness which won him the name of "Hell and Maria" Dawes at the time he made a report to a congressional committee on the manner in which affairs were run during the World war, when he had been appointed head of the service of supply by President Wilson. He has lately won a name for himself in Europe by his pleas for co-operation and his denunciation of those who are exploiting that continent's misfortunes for personal gain. He has also composed music of such high quality that Fritz Kreisler, the famous violinist, considered it worth adding to his concert programs. The charitable side of his nature is revealed by the fact that he has built two large homes in Chicago for the unfortunate and jobless.

R.R. MEN HELD FOR THEFTS

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Indicted for stealing articles worth more than $10,000 from United States railway mail cars, George H. Frost, conductor, and Harry Ornstein, brakeman, of the Boston & Albany railroad pleaded not guilty in the federal court today and were held for trial in $1000 bail each.

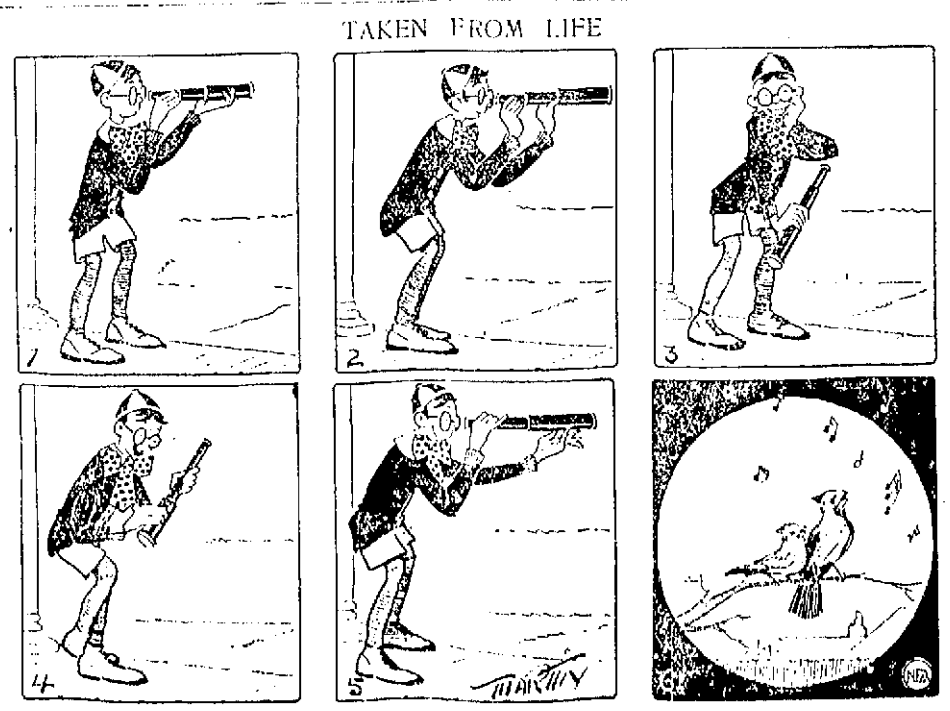
The thefts, the indictment alleges, were carried on while trains were in transit between the Back Bay and South stations.

OIL PROMOTER SENTENCED

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 29.—S. E. J. Cox, oil promoter, was sentenced today to serve five years in the federal penitentiary and to pay a fine of $15,000 by Federal Judge Hutcheson, following his conviction by a jury late yesterday on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

Now is the time to sell real estate. List your property in The Sun classified columns for quick results.

TAKEN FROM LIFE



APPROPRIATION BILL

Summary of Appropriation for Treasury and Postoffice Departments

Nearby Three-Quarters of a Billion Carried—$10,629,770 for Dry Enforcement

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Nearly three-quarters of a billion dollars is carried in the annual supply bill for the treasury and postoffice departments reported today by the house appropriations committee. The exact amount is $729,558,451, an increase of $18,476,889 over total appropriations for the two departments for the current fiscal year, but $5,445,636 less than budget estimates.

Of the total $609,976,216 is for the post office department—$24,753,187 more than was appropriated a year ago and $3,116,936 less than budget recommendations—and $119,582,205 for the treasury.

$10,629,770 for Dry Enforcement

The treasury department allotment does not take into consideration $1,399,651 of permanent and indefinite appropriations which do not require annual congressional action. It does, however, include $10,629,770 for enforcement of prohibition—$1,629,770 more than was granted last year. The coast year which is charged with curbing rum smuggling by sea, is allotted $10,551,619 or $793,881 less than was appropriated for the current year, and the customs service is allowed $13,873,140, or $1,555,610 more than was appropriated a year ago.

Of the postoffice allotment, major items are $124,247,100 for clerk hire in first and second class postoffices, $87,000,000 for the pay of city letter carriers; $104,150,000 to pay railroads for the transportation of mail; $47,400,000 for maintaining the railway mail service and $88,250,000 for the pay of rural letter carriers. Airplane mail service is allotted $1,500,000, the amount voted it a year ago.

Bonus Not Included

In its report the committee pointed out in comparing totals with those of last year that the bill does not carry the $240 bonus granted clerks for the current fiscal year. It also declared that the increased appropriation for enforcement of the prohibition and narcotic laws would enable the treasury to employ 300 additional prohibition agents and 115 more agents to be used in preventing the illegal use of narcotics.

In the bill is an item of $51,600 entitled "floating expenses" which the report explained would be used to purchase fast motor launches, costing from $3000 to $5000 for use against rum-runners.

The increased number of imports, the report said, makes it imperative that additional funds be granted the customs service. The amount recommended it was said would place 1123 259 of them at the port of New York—additional employes on the payrolls bringing the field force of the customs service up to 5588 employes.

Discussing postoffice department revenue, the reports said that for the current fiscal year which ends June 30, it would approximate $568,630,000, leaving an estimated deficit of about $28,000,000. Revenues next year, it was estimated, will increase 7.5 per cent. On the basis of the appropriation carried in the bill, this would entail a deficit of slightly more than $2,000,000 next year.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

PORTLAND, Me.—The Churchill apartments in a three story frame building made historic by the fact that it was visited by General Lafayette when he came to Maine, were damaged by fire to the extent of $15,000 this morning.

GLOUCESTER—John D. Woodbury, one of the oldest newspapermen in active service in the state, died today, aged 78 years. His work for the Gloucester Times continued until he became ill, 10 days ago.

SPRINGFIELD—Mayor E. F. Leonard is today investigating the character of a meeting being planned for February 8 in memory of Nikolai Lenine and declares that if he discovers any likelihood of "red" tendencies, he will act to prevent the meeting.

WASHINGTON.—The Norbeck-Burgess bill, providing financial relief for farmers in arrears stricken by crop failure, approved in principle yesterday, was ordered favorably reported today by the senate agriculture committee.

HANGS WASH

His son may be president of the United States, but that doesn't prevent John Coolidge from hanging out his household wash at the Coolidge home near Plymouth, Vt.

BODIES ON WAY HOME

Large Crowds at Port as Steamer Starts for States With Bodies of Naval Men

VERA CRUZ, Jan. 27. (Delayed.) (By radio via Dallas News.) (By the Associated Press.)—Large crowds witnessed the ceremonies today attending the taking of the bodies of Captain Sparrow of the United States cruiser Tacoma and two radio men killed in an accident aboard the vessel, to the Prometheus, which is carrying the bodies to the states.

Marines from the Prometheus received the bodies from the naval school, where they had been with a guard of honor composed of naval cadets. Mexican naval officers accompanied the procession to the dock. The American consul and a large part of the American colony were present.

A hydroplane from the Omaha scattered flowers over the procession. Captain Ambrosio Alfades eulogized the three dead naval men. While the caskets were being placed aboard the Prometheus, the hydroplane flew lower, dropping flowers on them. The Prometheus will sail Sunday night.

Accident Explained

GALVESTON, Tex., Jan. 29.—Mistaking one light for another, off the harbor of Vera Cruz, led to the grounding of the United States cruiser Tacoma, it became known here yesterday after the arrival at Galveston for further orders, of the cruiser Richmond, flagship of Admiral T. P. Magruder, in charge of the light cruiser division of the navy.

ROTARY CLUB MEETING

Otis B. Robertson, Bottler of Beverage, Speaker at Noon-Day Luncheon

Dr. H. E. Davis, president of the Lowell Rotary club, turned the gavel over to Fred Jones as chairman of the day at the weekly noon luncheon of Lowell Rotarians at the Boys' club yesterday. The principal guest and speaker was Otis B. Robertson, general manager of the Coca Cola Bottling company.

Mr. Robertson traced the growth and development of American trade from the arrival of the first of the pilgrims to the present day.

It was announced that next Tuesday's luncheon will be held in Liberty hall. The Lions, the directors of the Boys' club and the directors of the chamber of commerce, have been invited as guests. Boys' work will be tech subjcte of the speaker, Robert Louis Bucher, who will be brought here from New York.

A letter of thanks from the Lowell Guild for aid in the Christmas basket work of the organization was read.

Major Joyce, secretary of the Boys' club, announced that the new library has been completed and many Rotarians inspected it before leaving at the end of the luncheon.

GIRL HELD FOR THEFTS OF $130,000 IN GEMS

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Helen Golden, 29, was held by police today charged with grand larceny in connection with thefts of jewelry worth $130,000 from the Hotel Ambassador here and the hotel of the same name in Atlantic City N. J.

The police, who said they traced the young woman through a maker's label, in a hat she left in the Atlantic City hotel two years ago, stated that the prisoner had posed as a maid to gain access to guests' rooms. The loss involved in the New Jersey robbery was $80,000 and that here $50,000.

The young woman, who was shabbily dressed, had about $1000 worth of jewels in her possession when arrested. She denied implication in the thefts and refused to discuss the case.

$5,250,000 SUIT DISMISSED

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Federal Judge Augustus N. Hand today dismissed the $5,250,000 suit brought by Max Hart, booking agent, afainst the B. F. Keith Theatrical Exchange, Inc., and others, for violation of the Sherman anti-trust act.

THE HANDMAID OF HUMAN GOOD — LOWELL

Office of the Purchasing Agent

Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the Purchasing Agent on the following material on the dates mentioned below:

Until 11 a. m., Friday, Feb. 1, 1924

Req. 12,921. Water Works.
2500 ft. Old 3" Boiler Tubing.
2500 ft. Old 3½ Boiler Tubing.

Req. 12,900. Chelmsford St. Hospital.
50 chests Tea. Sample to be submitted with each bid.

Req. 17,741. Chelmsford St. Hospital.
10 bbl. Sugar.

Until 11 a. m., Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1924

Req. 12,813. Water Works Dept.
150 tons 6" Bell & Spigot Cast Iron Pipe.
75 tons 8" Bell & Spigot Cast Iron Pipe.
10 tons 4" Bell & Spigot Cast Iron Pipe.
All as per specifications which may be obtained, together with bid forms, at the Office of the Purchasing Agent. Certified check for $500 must accompany each bid.

Req. 12,815. Water Works Dept.
25 Fire Hydrants as per specifications at the Office of the Purchasing Agent.

Req. 12,814. Water Works Dept.
25—8" Gates.
6—4" Gates.
6—8" Gates.
All as per specifications at the Office of the Purchasing Agent.

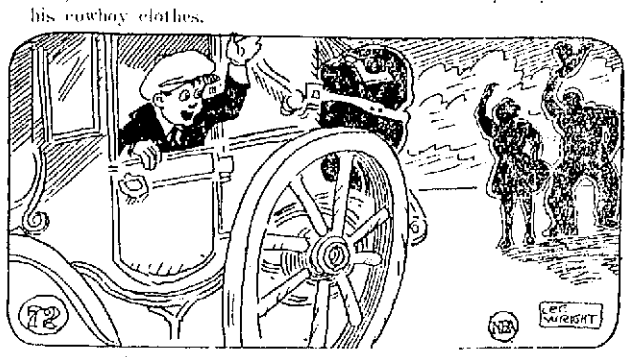
The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

EDWARD J. DONNELLY,
Purchasing Agent.
Lowell, Mass., Jan. 29, 1924.

Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 23

Amid Flip's barking and the clatter of the two ponies' hoofs, Jack and Rose sped across the plains. At first Jack took the lead, but when they came in sight of the Y-6 ranch-house, Rose went ahead of him, and she was the first to arrive and dismount. Then Jack's pony drew up.

"About time you're getting back here!" shouted the Y-6 ranchman. "The old stage-coach passes by here in a few minutes and I want Jack to ride back to the railroad station in it." "Oh, that will be fine!" shouted Jack. And he quickly took off his cowboy clothes.



Then the stage-coach arrived. The old driver who sat up in the front seat hopped down and helped Jack aboard. The adventurer waved goodby to the ranchman and Rose. And away he went. His visit to Y-6 ranch was over. Jack's next adventure is in the Cave of the Winds.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

AN AIRY FAIRY RIDDLE

THEY RIDE ON FROGS AND GREEN POLLYWOGS

"The next riddle," said the Riddle Lady, "is something you can't eat or see or hear, or smell or touch or taste! That is unless the Sandman or the Dream Maker are nearby, or you have some sort of magic with you. Now see who can guess!"

"What is it that is
Gay and sweet,
In the green retreat,
Of their shingly dingly dells,
Slipping in and out,
As they flit about
Busily weaving spells.

"Their houses are bowers
Of posey flowers,
Their drink is mist and dew,
And the leaves of the rose
They wear for clothes
Are the finest you ever knew.

"The way they tease
The birdies and bees,
Is a mocking, shocking thing.
They always say
It's the oddest way,
They know how to make 'em sing.

"They ride on frogs,
And green pollywogs,
When they go out to call,
And lizards and eels
Are their automobiles,
When they go to the elf king's ball.

"They cling to the gleams
Of gold moonbeams,
And climb to a starry height,
Then down they coast,
A tumbling host,
Shrieking with shrill delight.

"If they'd tell me this secret,
I'd try so to keep it!
Do they ever have company to tea?
Then I'd go and I'd call,
And I'd talk to them all,
And perhaps they'd say something to me."

"Is it caterpillars?" asked Bo Peep. "or spiders? They live in posey flowers sometimes and drink dew and everything like that!"

"The very idea!" said Contrary Mary indignantly. "Of course not. I never allow a caterpillar in my garden. Besides, who ever heard of caterpillars wearing rose-leaves for clothes. The ugly things wear fur!"

"And as for spiders," put in Miss Muffet, "let me tell you they don't have company to tea. The cheeky things come to other people's parties without being asked."

"I know what it is," spoke up Nancy. "It's fairies, isn't it?"

"Yes," smiled the Riddle Lady, "and the prize is a lovely pink rose. If you know where there are any fairies, you can make dresses for them all."

(To Be Continued)

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.20	6.40	2.80	3.10
6.23	7.26	6.00	7.08
b6.30	7.50	7.35	8.33
6.44	7.50	b8.15	9.20
6.50	8.00	9.00	9.39
7.12	8.03	10.00	10.40
7.50	8.37	12.30	1.11
8.01	9.43	a1.05	2.08
10.05	11.05	a1.20	2.40
11.17	12.00	2.15	3.11
12.07	1.01	2.50	3.41
1.51	3.38	4.00	4.42
2.45	3.48	4.05	5.24
3.30	4.19	5.00	6.42
4.00	4.45	b5.31	6.42
4.12	5.25	6.38	6.55
5.36	6.40	8.00	7.17
b6.00	7.26	8.14	7.18
6.58	7.45	8.00	8.41
8.22	9.05	8.30	9.11
9.58	10.50	10.30	11.40
		11.35	12.40

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.53	7.35	z6.35	8.21
10.54	12.19	10.35	11.33
5.14pm	6.55	3.20	4.36
7.12	8.26	5.14	6.18
10.20	11.35	8.55	8.14
		9.50	11.17

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
12.07	1.51	3.22	4.45
8.40	4.40	5.10	6.40
8.26	7.31	8.45	9.50
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Sunday Trains

Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.44	7.30	8.45	9.50
7.12	8.03	10.00	10.39
8.30	9.40	11.30	11.09
9.13	10.10	1.00	2.04
10.10	11.17	5.30	6.24
2.51	3.55	7.15	8.25
4.10	5.54	8.00	8.41
6.53	7.45	8.30	9.11
8.08	8.50	9.25	10.35
8.38	9.50	10.45	12.02
9.35	11.50		

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OUT OUR WAY

This Little World

LOS ANGELES

BY DON RYAN
N.E.A. Service Writer

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 0—Our Lady of the Angeles, quiet, yellow, high-shouldered and dignified by the march of years, looks across the plaza which once was the center of the Pueblo of Los Angeles. Founded in 1784 by Fr. Junipero Serra, the mission of Our Lady is quite the oldest thing in downtown Los Angeles today. With its paved court and garden in which palm trees show behind thick walls, it is the one remaining tranquility in the roaring cauldron of an expanding commercial city where everybody owns an automobile.

Workmen with steam machinery have been eating like voracious moths at the northeastern corner of the church enclosure. Are they going to tear down the mission?

No. The mission is to stand. Even the advancing commercialism of Los Angeles will not affront this sacred edifice of the past. But a corner of the garden must go—to make room for a new bank.

Out among the stables. The halfdoors open like port-holes and from them protrude the contemplative heads of horses—passengers watching from a liner at dock. A bleat from behind a stack of baled hay. Around the corner appears the dappled head of a goat, the long beard wagging as the animal chews.

Mascot? Something more. A companion for the horses, Old Race Horse Johnny will tell you. Old Race Horse Johnny, otherwise J. A. Gilreath of J. G. Irvin's Kentucky stables. A twisted smile behind a tobacco-stained mustache. Johnny is past his 70th birthday.

About the goat. The horse needs him. If the goat is taken away the horse will pine. That's where that expression started—about gettin' your goat. Somebody steals a race horse's goat and that horse will run no more.

At least some originality has been displayed by Eloise Clement, lecturer and actress, who recently obtained the conviction in court of Michael Deluen, radium chemist, who got too fresh with her. Miss Clement, who obtained considerable notoriety because of the case, is not going into the movies. Instead she announces her intention of becoming a lawyer. She will specialize on prosecuting mashers.

The sport of kings—but no gambling! With legions of policemen, sheriff's men and volunteers acting as detectives, Los Angeles may safely go to the races.

Brown and flat, girt by squat hills, stirred above by the passage of indifferent clouds and backed by the fantastic, weathering palace gets of the Goldwyn studio in the distance. This is the setting, while from the spidery grandstand rises the howl of 40m throats.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary O'Neill, sometimes called Mary E. O'Neill late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Timothy E. Connor, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirty-first day of January, A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

J17-23-30.

City of Lowell, Massachusetts
Lowell, Mass., Jan. 25, 1924.
DEPT. OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

NOTICE

In compliance with the provisions of Section 41, Chapter 98 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, I hereby give notice to all inhabitants or persons having usual places of business in the City of Lowell, who use weights, measures and balances, for the purpose of selling, buying or exchanging goods, wares, merchandise or other commodities, to bring in their weights, measures and balances to be adjusted and sealed.

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Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Zoel St. Hilaire, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Preseille A. St. Hilaire, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of February, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

J30-2-11

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Employment

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SALESMEN AND AGENTS 53

MAKE $[illegible] WEEKLY writing showcards for us in spare time. No canvassing. Simple instructions. Steady work. Dept. 734, National Studios, 1123 Rochester, Chicago.

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WOMAN wants housecleaning by the hour or day. Reliable. Write M 3.

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MONEY TO LOAN

CASH waiting for 2nd and 3rd mortgages. Apply P. O. Box 1057.

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POULTRY 67

POULTRY—Market price paid for poultry of all kinds. Lowell Live Poultry Exchange, 313 Market st. Tel. 5635.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE 72

A PROPHEAD SEWING MACHINE for sale, in good condition. Call evenings at 15 Carter ave. or phone 5072-M after 5 p. m.

CLOTHING—Men's new and second hand clothing, bought and sold. Students' Clothing store, 310 Middlesex st.

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ALL KINDS OF PIPES at right prices. P. & R. Smoke Shop, 242 Central st.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 80

BARGAINS in new and used pianos, player-pianos and victrolas at Hounsell's, 704 Bridge st., near Tenth st.

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OLD MATTRESSES made over and repaired. Work called for and delivered. Phone 3692. West End Spring Bed Co., 88 Fletcher st.

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Rooms—Board

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Real Estate For Rent

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3-ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT to let, steam heat, electric washing machine. Space for auto. Gaudette, 217 Pawtucket boulevard.

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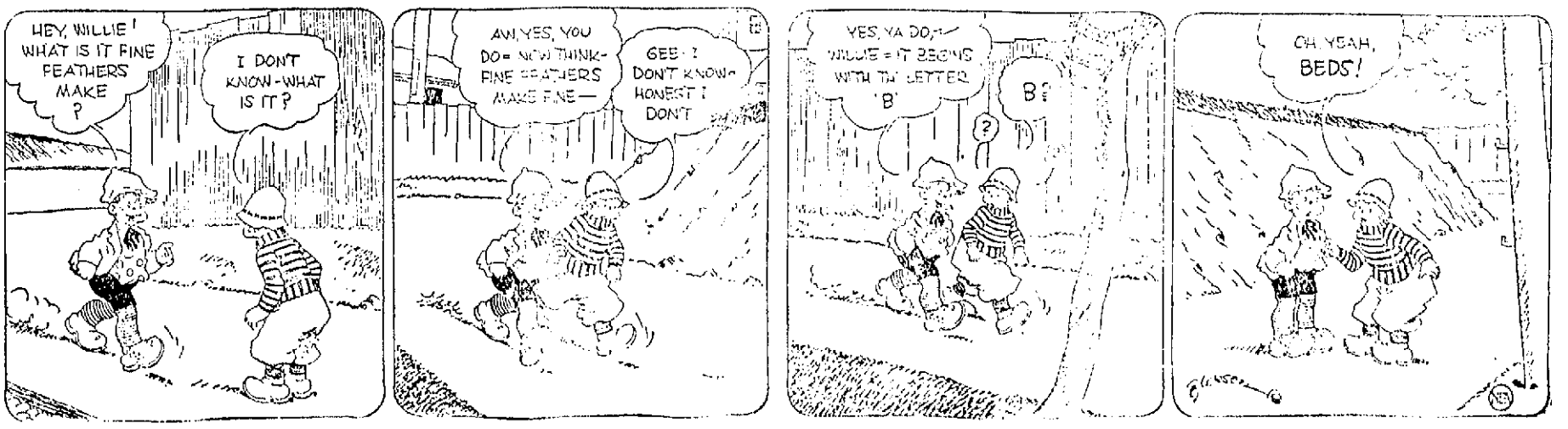

LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN

No Recent Tidings of Committee Appointed to Investigate Assessing Dept.

What has happened to the "investigation" of the assessing department suggested by Councilor Daniel Cosgrove last year and which has rather slipped into the land of oblivion during the past few months?

The board of assessors is wondering whether Councilor Cosgrove's committee has a report in mind, what its nature will be and when it will be submitted to the council, as all committee reports must be sooner or later.

As far as can be learned, the last meeting of the committee was last September or early in October, but since then Chairman Cosgrove has issued no call to his fellow-members, Councilors Genest and McPadden, and the committee seems to be in that placid state of status quo, so often used when no other explanatory phrase comes to mind.

When the committee first was appointed on motion of Mr. Cosgrove there were rumors of startling upheavals in the work of assessing, but the motion-maker put them to rest when he was friendly disposed toward all three assessors and simply desired to assist them in every possible way. The committee took one or two trips — to Cambridge and New Bedford — if memory serves, but since then it has seemed to tread water and the "investigation" is fast becoming only a memory.

AT THE Y.M.C.A.

T. R. Williams, boys' work secretary at the Y.M.C.A., has an interesting story to tell the dormitory men of the "Y" tonight at their weekly supper and get-together. Mr. Williams attended a recent boys' work conference in Austria and gained some impressions of which it is well worth while to hear him tell. Mrs. Wilmot will, as usual, serve the supper. An attendance of about sixty dormitory residents is expected. Archibald D. Grant will preside.

COUNTY REPORTS FOR 1923

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HELD BIG CELEBRATION

Bon Marche Employes Observe Mutual Benefit Association Anniversary

The Employes Mutual Benefit association of the Bon Marche provided an elaborate celebration in Liberty hall last night in observance of the 17th anniversary of the birth of the organization, now reputed as one of the best in the city.

From 6.15, when the happy gathering sat down to a banquet of rare delicacies, until a late hour, the hall resounded with laughter and merriment, the entertainment bargains keeping

JOHN H. FOLEY
President

the employes enthused continually. Miss Elizabeth Mitchell, treasurer of the company, and E. J. Gilmore, president and general manager, were present as special guests.

The banquet tables were tastily decorated for the occasion. While the delicious menu was being served, Frank Redding's orchestra supplied pleasing musical numbers and also accompanied the various entertainers during the remainder of the evening's program.

John H. Hogan was an excellent toastmaster. In choice phrases, he extended a note of welcome to the members of the association and the invited guests and thanked all for the co-operation shown in this and all past endeavors. He then presented the chairman of the entertainment committee, Philias J. Duval, who introduced Ray Chrisholm and Al Forrest in a highly entertaining skit entitled "Pritchetty's Mystery Box." Edward Harrington and Miss Estelle Doran obliged with saxophone and song selections, respectively, and there were recitations and dances by Miss Mary Driscoll, solos by Edward Donohue and piano numbers by Florence Kydd. The soloists were accompanied by Miss Vina Garrity.

After brief congratulatory remarks had been offered by Mr. Gilmore, a musical comedy skit teeming with originality, "The Bon Marche Circuit," was presented and proved the big hit of the evening. The theme of the sketch centered around a theatrical booking agency where candidates for the vaudeville stage presented themselves for try-outs. They recommended themselves to the manager in flattering terms and then proceeded to display their wares. The result was excellent comedy supplied by the members of the cast, as follows:

Sam, the office boy..Samuel Lemieux
Peg, the stenographer, Grace W. Burns
M. Schilansky, booking agent, Warren K. Hanscom
Mr. Hiram Hoover.....Tom Trask
Mrs. Euphemia Hoover.....Mrs. Mack
Two Black Spots,
Francis Burns, Eugene Fontaine
A Crinoline Girl.....Alice Bird
Ike and Mike, they look alike,
Ike ..... Agnes McGolough
Mike ..... Jeanne Giroux
The Prima Donna.....Elizabeth Joy
The Greatest Ventriloquist Act Ever offered,
Warren Hanscom, Grace Burns, Samuel Lemieux.

The officers of the association are: John H. Foley, president; Philias Duval, vice president; Jeanne Giroux, secretary; Margaret Curley, treasurer; Kathryn Sparks, collector; Margaret Riley, Albert Rhodes, Margaret Chisholm, auditors.

The committee in charge of the banquet consisted of Kathryn Sparks, chairman; Samuel Lemieux, Gerald Duval, Albert Rhodes, Grace Burns.

GETTING READY TO MOVE

In connection with the decision to remove the central accounting offices of the telephone company from this city to Salem district, auditors have commenced the work of checking the books of the Lowell office. As approximately 200,000 subscribers are served in this district, the work is expected to take some time.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

THE MAJOR AND WARNER ATTEMPT TO MOVE THE PIANO

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Lieut. Bartholomew Ryan is confined to his home by illness.

Rev. W. George Mullin, formerly of St. Peter's church, now pastor in Manchester-by-the Sea was in Lowell Monday renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Murphy announce the engagement of their daughter, Alice Laura, to Mr. James C. Moore of Shreveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Wells of this city are registered at Hotel St. James San Diego, California.

Mrs. C. W. Holmes and Miss Catherine Holmes will leave Friday for St. Petersburg, Fla. where they will spend the winter months.

A severe cold has forced City Engineer Stephen Kearney to remain away from his office for a few days.

Bound copies of his 1924 inaugural address are being mailed to mayors of Massachusetts cities by Mayor John J. Donovan.

Friends of Gen. Gardner W. Pearson will be glad to know that his recovery from a recent operation for appendicitis is progressing quite satisfactorily.

Fitchburg and Leominster councils of the Knights of Columbus are to stage a big meeting on Feb. 10 in the interest of the forthcoming exemplification of the fourth degree in this city. State and Lowell K. of C. officers will speak at the meeting.

The state education department extension class in automobile repairing will meet this evening at 7.15, in Coburn hall, in the high school. No registrations for the course will be accepted after tonight. There are now 138 members in the class. The instruction is being given in this course by John J. Gildee, vocational school teacher, and both men and women may attend.

The Women's Alliance of All Souls' church was entertained yesterday afternoon by a musical program given by members of the church. The young people who sang and played were Miss Sarah Mason, Miss Adelaide Walsh, Edwin McLoon and Miss Anne Baker. The program was in charge of Miss Maude Lancaster.

Miss Mary Fitzgerald has been added to the clerical force in the office of the charity department at city hall. Her appointment came from a civil service list of eligibles.

William H. Heaney, of 18 Bowen st., who recently completed an enlistment in the Coast Artillery Corps at Fort Banks, Boston harbor, signed up for a term in the 3rd Cavalry this morning through the local recruiting office. He will be sent to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, for active service.

CHALLENGE FOR DEBATE ON ANY SUBJECT

The debating team for the class of 1925 at the high school, composed of McArdle, MacBrayne and Snyder, issued a challenge to the other three classes for a debate on any subject this morning.

Every seat on the floor of the Lowell Opera House for the evening performance of "The Boomerang" has been sold, but there are still many good ones left for the afternoon show, and a few seats in good position in the first balcony for the evening show. The seats will be on sale every day hereafter in the old high school office, until the day of the show.

The senior day committee met in the library at recess today for the purpose of making preliminary plans for the observance of the day when the members of the class wear outlandish costumes to school and generally celebrate the last year of school.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE REFUSES TO CONSIDER SALARY INCREASES

Teachers' Organization Salary Schedule is Referred to Sub-Committee—Request of Counsel for Hearing in Dennett Case is Denied

An attempt by Mr. Bruin to take under consideration salary increases for school teachers was defeated by the school committee last night at the first business meeting of the 1924 committee. Mr. Bruin's proposal was to grant lump increases to teachers by departments, the increases ranging from $100 for kindergarten teachers to $500 for Supt. Hugh J. Molloy.

On motion of Mr. Delaney a subcommittee was appointed to take up the salary schedule and a special meeting will be held Friday evening to take action on the sub-committee's report and also on the budget estimate of 1924.

The meeting was called to order at 7.55 o'clock with all members present.

The resignation of Catherine E. Egan, a teacher in the Bartlett school and Agnes Joyes, a kindergarten teacher, were read and accepted.

A communication from John M. O'Donoghue, counsel for William W. Dennett in his mandamus proceedings for reinstatement as principal of the Green evening school, was read asking that the board give him a hearing before the case is again called in court. On motion of Mr. Delaney the letter was received and placed on file. Mr. Delaney said that after the conclusion of the court proceedings he would be willing to hear Mr. Dennett but he felt the matter should be settled in court first. This appeared to be the opinion of all members of the board as Mr. Delaney's motion was unanimously accepted.

Permission to discontinue the blueprint reading class at the Evening Vocational school was requested by Principal Fisher on account of the small number of students. On recommendation of Supt. Molloy such permission was granted.

A communication from Headmaster Harris of the high school concerning the overcrowded condition of certain classes and asking permission to employ Miss Hornby as a permanent substitute was read and upon recommendation of Supt. Molloy said permission was granted. Miss Hornby has substituted for Miss Mabel Cassidy for the past several months. Miss Cassidy returned Monday and Miss Hornby's services were requested by Mr. Harris to assist in departments where classes are overcrowded.

To Advance Sub-Master

Supt. Molloy requested that Junior Sub-Master E. G. Brennon, of the high school, be advanced to junior master in order to retain him at the school, he having received an offer from a near-by city carrying a considerably higher salary.

Mr. Bruin spoke against advancing Mr. Brennon on the schedule as a means of giving him an increase and advocated giving him a straight increase. On a roll call vote Mr. Molloy was granted permission to advance Mr. Brennon, Mr. Bruin and the mayor voting "no," and all others in the affirmative.

Mr. Riley immediately moved that the superintendent be instructed to bring in the names of men qualified to fill the junior sub-master position left vacant by Mr. Brennon's promotion.

Mr. Johnson objected to this motion, saying that Mr. Brennon will continue doing the work he has always done and adding that the reason for giving him a new title was to give him a salary increase that would keep him as a teacher in the high school.

Mr. Riley's motion was declared on roll call.

Mr. Bruin then moved that, as the bars against granting increases had been broken down, the following increases be granted: Kindergarten teachers and principals, $100; primary, grammar, junior high teachers and supervisors, high school teachers $200 and $150; vocational and continuation teachers, $200; janitors and janitresses, 4 per cent.; grammar and junior high school masters, $250; headmaster of the high school, $200; superintendent of schools, $500. In explanation of his motion Mr. Bruin said he left out the maintenance department employes because they received an increase 13 months ago, whereas the teachers have not been increased in four years. The reason for increasing the headmaster of the high school's salary but $200 was because he received a $500 increase 13 months ago. The increases would, in Mr. Bruin's estimation, increase the budget but $75,000 while the increased requested by the Teachers' organization would mean an increase of about $120,000.

Mr. Delaney offered as an amendment to Mr. Bruin's motion that the wage scale presented by the Teachers' organization some time ago be taken from the table. The amendment was carried, Messrs. Bruin, Riley and Donovan voting against it.

Mr. Delaney then moved that the salary schedule presented by the Teachers' organization be rejected and a committee of the school committee named to confer with the head of the organization and the superintendent of schools and draw up a new schedule. In making this motion Mr. Delaney claimed that since the schedule was drawn up some members of the organization have requested increases different than provided in the schedule.

Mr. Bruin objected to this motion, claiming it was only an attempt to sidestep granting the teachers an increase they have been waiting four years for and asked for a yes or no vote on his motion.

Mayor Donovan said he was willing to grant increases to do away with inequalities but he objected to granting a lump increase.

Mr. Delaney's motion was carried, Mr. Bruin alone voting in the negative, and Mr. Riley, Mrs. Pearson and Mr. Johnson were named by Mayor Donovan as the salary sub-committee.

A certificate of the first grade was granted Walter C. Shea.

French and Latin Instructors

Mr. Molloy requested permission to hire two high school teachers as instructors of French and Latin at the Moody school, the teachers to work during the afternoon and to receive $5.50 per session. Mr. Molloy explained that there were no teachers in the Moody school who could do this work at the present time and added that residents of the section felt their children should be taught the first principles of both subjects before entering high school so that they would be on even terms with graduates of other grammar schools. Mrs. Pearson moved that the permission be granted.

Mr. Bruin asked Mr. Molloy what subjects Messrs. Foley and Gillick taught in the high school. Mr. Molloy could not answer definitely but added that from the nature of the question he desired to say that if the power of naming the teachers for this work was to be taken out of his hands he would withdraw his request.

On roll call he was granted the requested permission unanimously.

A claim for clothing alleged to have been stolen from the Butler school was referred to the city solicitor.

The reports of the lunch room and high school athletic fund were made by Business Agent Williams.

Mr. Molloy announced that the United States Cartridge company had presented the school department a printing press for use in the Vocational school. Mr. Delaney moved acceptance of the gift and asked that the Cartridge company be extended a vote of thanks.

A communication from William Patterson of the Boston School housing committee concerning his readiness to confer with the board in regard to the Edson school matter was filed.

Will Attend Chicago Convention

The superintendent was instructed to attend the annual superintendents' convention in Chicago February 24 to 29 at the expense of the school department.

Mr. Molloy called attention to the fact that the estimates for the year were ready and asked that the board meet within a few days to take action on the estimates so that the budget could be prepared without any unnecessary delay.

Mr. Johnson moved that a special meeting be held Friday evening for the purpose of acting on the estimates and also to hear the report of the subcommittee on salaries. This motion was carried.

Miss Mary E. Tobin, president of the Teachers' organization, was granted permission to speak and told briefly of the method used by the salary committee of the organization in drawing up the schedule. She said the schedule was adopted unanimously at a special meeting of the organization and told of two changes made in the schedule at the suggestion of the superintendent following its adoption which also met with the approval of the body and asked that it be accepted as the official schedule desired by the teachers.

A letter from the civil service commission granting permission to employ three firemen at the high school for 60 days was received and placed on the records.

Supt. Molloy recommended the election of Miss Dorothy M. Stevens as a kindergarten teacher and her election was unanimous.

The meeting adjourned at 9.10 o'clock until next Friday evening at 7.30.

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Including excellent qualities — Many plain colors—All sizes—A dandy trade if patterns suit you.
No Exchanges
No Refunds

SPECIAL LOT NO. 2
25c, 35c and 50c
IDE and TRIANGLE
SOFT COLLARS
50c Dozen
Including cotton and silks in white and Shantung—Sizes 14 to 19½.
Sold in dozen lots only. Plenty of large sizes. All sales final.

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To Cleanup—$2.00 and $2.50
STAG BRAND
CAPE and KID GLOVES
59c PAIR
In tan—Some with black backs—Sizes 7, 7¼, 7½, 7¾
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HARRISON'S
166 CENTRAL STREET

Bridal Veil Flour
The Prestige of Fifty Years
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THE KIND YOUR GRANDMOTHER USED
FRANK W. FOYE CO., LOWELL, MASS.
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CHECK THAT COLD NOW
TAKE FATHER JOHN'S MEDICINE
ALL PURE FOOD
Over Sixty-eight Years of Success

NOTICE

The ninety-sixth semi-annual meeting of the Lowell Co-operative Association will be held in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street, Lowell, Friday Evening, Feb. 1, 1924, at 8 o'clock p. m. for election of officers and such other business as may legally come before it.

E. P. TUCKE, Pres.
J. S. MacINNIS, Clerk.

TOMORROW NIGHT
Three-Act Comedy Drama
"MAKING DADDY BEHAVE"
Thos. Talbot Memorial Hall
North Billerica
Presented by the
ALTISSIMA DRAMATIC CLUB
8 O'Clock—Tickets 50¢

WALTER E. GUYETTE.....Auctioneer
53 Central St. Lowell, Massachusetts Tel. 6896-6097

THE TWO-STORY BRICK BUILDING CONTAINING FOUR TENEMENTS AND STORE AT 7-9 LITTLE STREET AND THE FOUR-STORY BRICK BUILDING CONTAINING EIGHT TENEMENTS IN THE REAR OF THE ABOVE, TOGETHER WITH ABOUT 6045 SQUARE FEET OF LAND TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON NEXT THURSDAY, JAN. 31, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK P. M. The front property has four tenements and store now used as a bakery with modern equipment, including a late type Dubrop built-in oven, large display windows, is electrically lighted and high posted. The tenements have five rooms each with open plumbing, bath, hot and cold water, hardwood floors and electric lights and are all rented to first class tenants and yield an income of $78.00 monthly, or $936.00 per year. The store could easily command a rental of $100.00 per month or $1200.00 per year, making a total rental for this block of $2136. The building in the rear, one of eight tenements, is also of brick construction, each tenement having five rooms and bath room, hot and cold water, electric lights and hardwood floors throughout, and is also entirely rented and has an income of $151.00 per month, or $1818.00 per year. The buildings are of recent construction, built for the owner, who has up to the present occupied the store as a bakery, and the best of material and workmanship were secured, and are now in perfect repair inside and out. The total income of both buildings is $2754.00 per year, which is considered extremely low for tenements of their character and conveniences. The store rental estimated at $100.00 per month is also considered as being very moderate. The flats are conveniently laid out, the plan of building making it easy for the tenants to care for their homes. The lot has a total area of 6045 square feet of land with a frontage of 65 feet on Little Street. The location of Little Street is within a step of Broadway and directly in the rear of the Lowell Vocational School and within a minute's walk of Merrimack Street at City Hall, via Cardinal O'Connell Parkway. Terms: $2500 must be paid in cash or secured to the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms made known at the sale.

W. E. GUYETTE, in charge.

MORTGAGEE SALE

THE ENTIRE STOCK, FIXTURES AND EQUIPMENT OF THE FURNITURE STORE RECENTLY CONDUCTED UNDER THE FIRM NAME OF PETER SARRIS AND SITUATED AT 41 MARKET STREET, LOWELL, MASS., TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION IN ONE LOT ON NEXT FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1924, AT 2 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

The stock and fixtures consist in part of parlor stoves, kitchen ranges, linoleum and oil cloth, beds, bedding and mattresses, parlor and dining-room furniture, refrigerators, gas stoves, chairs, tables, cedar chests, baby carriages, carpet sweepers, clocks, kitchenware and the usual stock of household furniture and furnishings to be found in a furniture store.

Terms: $500 must be paid in cash as soon as struck off. Other terms made known at time of sale.

By order of DENNIS SPHERIS, Mortgagee.
WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Attorney.

STAND BY FOR FIRST ANNUAL DANCE OF
LOWELL NAVY CLUB
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1st — ASSOCIATE HALL
Miller-Doyle's Orchestra — Admission 55 Cents

DANCING
HIGHLAND CLUB
EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT
By The Stratfords
Wricks' Harvard Orchestra

BY POPULAR REQUEST
The Mathew Temperance Institute Will Repeat Its Recent Tremendous Success—
"FOLLIES and FROLICS"
Next Tuesday Evening
MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM
DANCING TILL 1
Broderick's Orch.
Admission....75¢
TICKETS ON SALE THURSDAY
REHEARSAL THURSDAY NIGHT, 8 O'CLOCK

KASINO
ROLLER SKATING EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING
On Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday Night, Lowell Cadet Band
Wednesday Night of This Week—Old Timers' Party with Band
ADMISSION ..... 10 CENTS

ASSOCIATE THURSDAY NIGHT
HERLIHY'S ORCHESTRA
Latest Dance Music. Admission 40c.
FREE NEW YORK TRIP COUPON GIVEN

THE WEATHER

Cloudy, probably rain tonight; Thursday, fair and colder; south to west winds.

THE LOWELL SUN

7 O'CLOCK

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MANY DEMANDS ARE MADE UPON THE CHARITY DEPARTMENT

Great Many People in Need of Assistance, Says Supt. Gormley—Department is Averaging 70 Orders of Provisions and Food a Day

The month of January has made great demands upon the Lowell charity department, and Supt. Joseph H. Gormley said today poverty in the city is more general and pronounced than he has known it to be for some time.

At the present time the charity department is sending out approximately 70 orders of provisions and fuel a day, representing an increase of 30 per cent since November.

Supt. Gormley attributes the increased demand for city aid to lack of permanent employment and does not anticipate any improvement in conditions until business shows a tendency toward stimulation. With the advent

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ALLIED HEADS EXCHANGE NOTES

Baldwin Expresses Desire for Settlement of Difficulties Between Allies

Moves for Complete Anglo-French Understanding—Poincare Replies

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Prime Minister MacDonald recently sent a personal letter to Premier Poincare in which he expressed a desire for a settlement of the difficulties between Great Britain and France and for a complete Anglo-French understanding M. Poincare replied sympathetically, according to statements printed this morning by the Daily Telegraph and the Daily Express. By this action the

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TO SERVE AS WILL HAYS IN SHOE DISPUTE

HAVERHILL, Jan. 30.—A neutral arbiter to serve as a Will Hays for the local shoe industry will be named tomorrow by the Haverhill Shoe Manufacturers' association and the Shoe Workers' Protective union. The candidates for the berth, one of which will probable be selected are, Eugene Szepehl of the Szepehl industrial organization of engineers and economists, 673 Boylston street, endorsed by Edwin Newdick, industrial engineer, the Manufacturers' association, and associated with the Labor Bureau, Inc., of New York and Boston, endorsed by the union. Both men have wide experience in the adjustment of industrial problems. The position will demand a salary of $10,000 annually.

AUTO REPAIR CLASS AT HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

The auto repair instruction class being conducted here under the University extension division of the state department of education will hold its third meeting tonight at Coburn hall in the high school. Applications for enrollment by prospective pupils will be received at this meeting. Registrations will close at this session.

The class is not limited as to size, and 138 persons, women as well as men, have already joined. John Gildee, the instructor, said today that 30 per cent. of those who have thus far enrolled are members of the fair sex. It is not necessary to be a motor car owner in order to join the class.

Used Cars

SOLD BY US

Stay sold pretty well, as value received satisfies most people.

WE OFFER TODAY

Type 57 Cadillac Victoria Coupe, 4 passenger.

1922 Buick 7-passenger Sedan.

1922 Chandler 7-passenger Touring.

Geo. R. Dana & Son

Cadillac Sales and Service

81-95 EAST MERRIMACK ST.

TO DISFRANCHISE DRY LAW VIOLATORS

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 30.—Persistent offenders who violate the prohibition law in this state, may be disfranchised, it became known here today. Registrars of voters were given the names of 15 persons convicted for a third time of liquor law violation, which is equivalent to a felony according to the statutes. Only three of the list are voters, but they are automatically disqualified. Their names can be restored to the voting lists only by legislative action.

BIG SEIZURE OF ILLEGAL GAMING DEVICES

The season's biggest seizure of illegal gaming apparatus was effected early this morning by Officers William Liston, John Leahey and Patrick Bagley of the liquor and vice squads when they confiscated 31 punch boards and several prizes in the fruit and variety store at the corner of Bridge and Fourth sts., alleged to be owned by James A. Manning. The latter was not in the store at the time of the raid, but a warrant for his arrest was taken out this noon and he will be summoned to appear in district court tomorrow morning on a charge of maintaining gambling implements.

The original purpose of the officers in going to the store was to search

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TWO NEW SERGEANTS FOR POLICE DEPT.

When the police department appropriation is settled by the budget and audit commission, Supt. Atkinson will request that a civil service examination for the appointment of two new sergeants be held, he stated this morning. In his estimates recently submitted, the superintendent recommended the appointment of two additional sergeants, one for traffic and one for night duty.

At present there are eight sergeants in the department. Sergt. McMannon and Lieut. Freeman are the only two assigned to late night duty, and when they have their one night off in eight, there is no superior officer around the streets, explained the superintendent. At present there is no civil service list of applicants.

The Late J. P. Morgan Said:

"There is no such thing as standing still; you are either going up or down."

A Savings Account is your anchor to windward, preventing you from coming down. Those who save, succeed.

Open a Savings Account in this old established bank where your interest begins the first day of each month.

We also want to tell you about the man in Michigan who lost the savings of years by concealing his earnings in a trunk at his lodging house.

And again, we want to call your attention to our Safe Deposit Department. Convenient sized boxes in our modern steel vault can be rented for $5 per year, and certainly cannot be regarded as a luxury.

Old Lowell National Bank

OLDEST BANK IN LOWELL

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SUBURBAN DAY AT AUTO SHOW

Goodly Number of Visitors and Auto Buyers at Auditorium Yesterday

Organ Recital Last Evening—Mayor Curley of Boston Unable to Appear

Tomorrow is "Governor's Day"—Lt. Gov. Fuller Will Represent Gov. Cox

"Suburban Day" today.

"Governor's Day" tomorrow.

But yesterday—well, didn't they ramble!! Right into Lowell and the 1924 automobile show at the Memorial Auditorium, from every compass point direction, seemingly.

It may not have been strictly Mr. and Mrs. Suburbanite's specially assigned day of days, but they came to Lowell and saw the auto show just the same. And a host of Lowell show-goers had to genially make way for 'em, of course.

They came early in the afternoon, many of them. They came in car cavalcades toward the sunset hour. In the early evening they fairly swamped East Merrimack street in the vicinity of the Auditorium. Long before 8 o'clock when the bell officially rings, every important parking street and landscape surrounding the Auditorium pile was choked up with assorted passenger vehicles of the gasolene driven type. It was a real crowd, no mistake.

Perhaps the suburban visitors yesterday exceeded the city throng of eager automobile "fans," for at least in the evening the numbers from outlying towns steadily increased after 6 p. m. Strictly speaking as per program, today is supposed to be "Suburban Day," but leave it to the suburbans to come when they please and be thorough about it.

The latchstrings were out for everybody and not a dealer or ready salesman welcoming everybody with

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NORWAY LEADS IN OLYMPICS

Displaced Finland in Winter Sports Competition at Chamonix, France

Captured First Four Places in Ski Marathon—U. S. Defeats France in Hockey

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 30. (By the Associated Press.)—Norway today displaced Finland for the lead in the Olympic winter sports competition here. Taking the first four places in the ski marathon of 50 kilometres, the Norwegians gained 22 points and brought their total to 71½, while Finland remained at 62½.

The United States hockey team competing in the Olympic winter sports here defeated France today, 22 to 0.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Exchanges, $716,000,000; balances, $71,000,000.

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Clearings, $85,000,000; balances, $27,000,000.

It's Good!

That's why so many New England families start the day with Arlington Bacon. They like it. And so will you.

Arlington Bacon

A SQUIRE PRODUCT

Depot Taxi

Positively the Lowest Rates in Town.

PHONE 32

TOO EARLY FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prospective Candidates for Delegates to National Political Conventions Are Shy

Democrats Commence Jockeying for Preference But G. O. P. is Slumbering

With presidential primaries three months away, names of prospective candidates for convention delegates are being circulated, particularly in the democratic ranks, where interest seems more pronounced at this time than among the republican adherents. For the two delegates from the fifth congressional district, which includes Lowell, names already proposed are those of Humphrey O'Sullivan, Joseph P. Donahue, James Heslin and Andrew E. Barrett of this city and former Mayor Bernard J. Holden, William J. Young, former postmaster and Thomas F. McGowan, Esq., all of Woburn.

To date little has been heard from the republican party hereabouts in relation to convention delegates and it is probable no candidates will be announced at least for another month.

BRENNEN BILL HEARING

Local Representatives Appear in Favor of Measure to Abate River Nuisance

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 30.—Representatives Brennen, Slowey, Lewis, Achin and Corbett of Lowell, and Snow of Tyngsboro appeared before the public health committee at the state house today in favor of a petition brought by Rep. Brennen that

REP. OWEN E. BRENNEN

the department of public health be authorized to investigate the condition of the Concord river between Fordway bridge in Billerica and the Merrimack river in Lowell.

Rep. Owen E. Brennen pointed out the fact that the river is a health nuisance and that it is unbearable because of a bad odor arising from it. He thought the lower end of the river was the most filthy in the commonwealth and that many boys had been poisoned by bathing in it.

Rep. Corbett said that the river used to be obnoxious at certain times of the year but now it is obnoxious practically all of the time. He believes that the investigation of the Merrimack river, now going on, should naturally lead to an investigation of its tributary, the Concord. The Billerica end, he said, should be particularly investigated.

HOYT.

FRIDAY WILL BE BUSY DAY AT COURTHOUSE

Judge Loggat will preside at the Probate court session to be held at the Gorham street courthouse Friday morning. At the same time in the superior civil court room, the Salisbury beach rum-running cases will come up before U. S. commissioner Richard Brabrook Walsh.

Commissioner Walsh will also hold preliminary hearings on Saturday of this week when Edward B. Tryon and others connected with the Tryon Knitting will be arraigned in connection with alleged fraudulent use of the mails.

The hearing before Frederick S. Hayes as master in the dispute between A. J. Ryan as architect for the house lot at Westford and Walker street for Findlay Chisholm continued today.

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DEMURRERS SUSTAINED

Supreme Court of District of Columbia Sustains Demurrers of Crowell et als

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. The supreme court of the District of Columbia today sustained demurrers of Benedict Crowell, former assistant secretary of war, and six others indicted with him in cases growing out of the building of war-time cantonments.

Others indicted and included in the demurrer which was sustained, were William A. Starrett, New York; Morton C. Tuttle, Boston; Clemens W. Landoff, Cleveland; Clair Elster of Canada; John McGibbons, Baltimore, and James A. Mears, Boston.

The defendants were associated with the council of national defense and were charged with conspiracy to nullify administer laws and regulations and to control the giving of contracts to friends, associates and client under the "cost plus" system. All were prominent in the construction industry.

Atty. Gen. Daugherty initiated the proceedings as a part of the government's prosecution of war-time construction cases.

Justice Hoehling, in sustaining the demurrer, said that "while the indictment abounds in the statement of conclusions, it fails to support the same by facts alleged as required in a criminal proceeding; and therefore it is sought herein to obtain a judicial review of the policy adopted by the secretary of war concerning the war emergency building construction program of that department throughout the period of the late war; and that, too, in the absence of fact allegations that would make such review proper, even assuming but not hereby deciding, that the question is one open to judicial review.

The indictment as drawn, the court said "is not such as that the defendant could advisedly plead thereto on the ground of knowing just what they are called upon to answer just what is intended to be proved thereunder."

Justice Hoehling said the indictment failed to mention the "important fact that Secretary of War Baker, both formally and informally, approved the cost plus form of contract."

More than $80,000,000 in contracts were awarded, it was said, under the cost plus plan. The government is expected to appeal the case.

NO SKATING ON THE CITY PLAYGROUNDS

There is no skating on any of the city playgrounds and the park department will make no attempt to flood Shedd park or Washington park until there are signs of a return to lower temperatures.

SENATORS PRESS FOR VOTE ON LEASE ANNULMENT RESOLUTION

Sen. Norris, Republican, in Explaining His Views Declared He Approached Subject "With Feeling of Regret, Sorrow and Humiliation"

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. Both republican and democratic leaders in the senate pressed for a vote today on the Walsh oil lease annulment resolution.

Debate was renewed immediately after the senate convened. Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, a former member of the oil committee, in explaining his views, declared he approached the subject "with a feeling of regret, sorrow and humiliation."

The investigation into the leasing of oil reserves has shown clearly, he asserted, that "from the beginning there has been an utter disregard" of the government policy as laid down by congress and of the laws enacted to carry out that policy.

"The very first order (the executive order transferring the reserves from the navy to the interiors upon which the leases were based," he said, "was to my mind utterly and absolutely illegal. It was made in defiance of all laws upon that subject.

"I concede that men may honestly disagree as to the policy of keeping these oil reserves in the ground or in tank storage, but there is no opportunity for disagreement upon the question that the policy in this respect is peculiarly with congress, and that right or wrong, it is the duty of every patriotic citizen to see that such policy is carried out. It is especially the duty of high public officials."

Pointing out that congress had not been asked to legislate authorizing the transfer, Senator Norris declared it was because those interested knew that congress would not approve it.

"If we are to maintain our institutions, if the republic is to live," he said, "it must be through respect and admiration for the law.

"What can you expect from the people if high officials disregard and set them aside with impunity?"

Violations of law as presented in the present instance, Senator Norris declared, eventually would lead to a rule by despots and tyrants.

There could be no doubt, he argued, that the leases and contracts made by Secretary Fall, after the "illegal" transfer of jurisdiction to him "were

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REBEL FORCES AROUND VERA CRUZ PLAN GUERILLA WARFARE

Action Taken Following Crushing Defeats at Llano Grande, Boca del Monte and Esperanza—Anti-Government Propaganda Inaugurated

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 30.—(By radio via Forth Worth Star-Telegram)—(By the Associated Press)—Revolutionary forces around Vera Cruz are preparing to inaugurate guerilla warfare following the crushing defeats at Llano Grande, Boca del Monte and Esperanza, according to wireless messages sent to General Dieguez in Jalisco by General De la Huerta, revolt leader, which were intercepted and given out by the war department.

The messages carying the plain intimation that anti-government propaganda which the De la Huertaistas plan to inaugurate since the purchase by the government of arms and munitions in the United States will accuse the president in violent terms of giving tactic encouragement to attacks upon Americans on the ground that the United States is interfering with Mexican affairs with the ulti-

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GAS MASKS TO HALT CHICKEN THIEVES

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 30.—Gas masks for choice poultry may become necessary if chicken thieves persist in the method of gassing henneries about the state, in order to silence the squawks of the stolen fowls. Following discovery of the use of gas by thieves in a raid upon a Guilford hennery, reports of similar thefts have come in from Madison and Vernon. Leading poultrymen of the state, here today for the state poultry show, discussed methods of combatting the latest mode of thievery.

BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

Early Morning Fire in Unoccupied House in Chestnut and Willow Streets

The large untenanted residential property at the corner of Chestnut and Willow streets known as the Stevens estate and owned at the present time by Margaret Quealey of this city, was badly damaged by a fire of unknown origin which was discovered shortly after 5 o'clock this morning.

A passer-by noticed flames in a downstairs room in the rear of the house and sounded an alarm from box 81 at 5.30 o'clock. The flames spread with amazing rapidity, however, and upon the arrival of the firemen the interior of the rear section of the house was a mass of flames.

For several minutes it seemed that the building was doomed but lines of hose were directed at the flames from four sides and within half an hour the fire was under control. Spreading from the rear of the house

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THERE IS PLENTY OF

COAL

FOR EVERYBODY

But do not wait until the thermometer gets down below zero, with a foot of snow on the ground before ordering. Somebody else may think to order coal the same day.

Candlemas day is Feb. 2. If you are going to need more coal this winter,

ORDER IT NOW

And Get Immediate Delivery.

HORNE COAL CO.

9 CENTRAL ST. TEL. 264

In the Evening TUDOR TEA

NEWSPAPERS TO GO FIRST CLASS

Will Be Treated the Same as Letters and Other First Class Matter

New Order to Expedite Delivery of Papers Issued by Postmaster General

WASHINGTON Jan. 30. Beginning Friday, newspapers will be accorded the same treatment in the mails as letters and other first class matter, by an order made public today by Postmaster General New.

"The order," said Mr. New, "means much to the American public. It is one of the most important and far-reaching steps in postoffice history. It is for the benefit of those who desire to have their newspapers placed before them at as early a moment as possible. This should keep both the city and rural population in closer and quicker touch with their several fields of activities."

Under the new system, newspapers will be made up in separate sacks plainly labelled with the word "Newspapers." If there are only a few copies of newspapers at the point of dispatch, they will be placed in pouches with first class mail or in separate sacks, even though the sacks are only partly filled. The order stipulates that newspapers shall not be mixed with parcel post at any point in their despatch from the publishers' offices until their delivery to the addresses.

Postmasters are required by the order to notify publishers in each instance when deliveries do not catch the dispatch which they are advertised to catch; also to notify publishers when they are sending their publications to wrong addresses and to addresses of deceased persons. Publishers will be notified by postmasters when they are putting up their mail in an incorrect manner.

The order applies alike to daily and weekly newspapers. It stipulates that all sacks of newspapers when received in postoffices, must be segregated promptly and the contents distributed and dispatched to the proper stations for delivery by carriers on the earliest possible trips.

Carefully worded and minute instructions have been issued to all postal employes so that there will be no possibility of misunderstanding the importance of getting newspapers to the reader with a minimum delay.

VICTORY FOR FEDERALS

Orizaba, Largest City in State of Vera Cruz Captured by Obregonists

GALVESTON, Tex., Jan. 30.—Orizaba, industrial centre and largest city in the state of Vera Cruz, has been captured by federal forces, according to official advices received here today by Mexican Consul I. Magana. Orizaba was taken yesterday afternoon, the message said.

PRES. COOLIDGE SPEAKS

First Lesson in Democratic Economy During Garfield-Hancock Campaign

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—President Coolidge received his first lesson in "sound political economy" and a striking lesson in democratic economy during the Garfield-Hancock campaign of 1880, when he was eight years old.

Speaking informally at the annual meeting of the Ohio Society of Washington, last night, Mr. Coolidge told this story of an incident of the Garfield-Hancock campaign:

"It was during that campaign that I, as a small boy, approached my father, who was a very good business man, with the proposition that he should furnish me with a penny to buy candy. He told me that we were in the midst of a political campaign and there was a probability, a possibility at least, that we were going to elect a democrat for president. Such an action, he said, would undoubtedly be followed by hard times, and therefore it was necessary to economize.

"That was good, sound doctrine, I think; anyhow it had to do for me. But I recall that the next morning after the election and as soon as the news reached our town that James A. Garfield had been chosen president, I went to my father and told him the result indicated we were to continue a republican administration and with that prospect in view, I was able to secure the advance of the sum I had asked."

POWERS OF PRES. LEWIS HANG IN BALANCE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 30 (by the Associated Press).—Appointive powers of international President John L. Lewis hung in the balance today as the roll call of delegates to the United Mine Workers convention was resumed following a partial roll call yesterday, which gave a vote of 1558 to 1475 in favor of the proposed change.

Insurgents have given their entire strength to this fight, their leaders announced, and they expect to maintain their lead throughout and accomplish the change by a safe margin. Administration supporters on the other hand, declared the lead of 58 votes gained yesterday will be overcome when the districts of the southern and western states vote, and the president will be upheld by a majority of between 200 nad 300 votes.

THE BUDGET AND AUDIT COMMISSION

The budget and audit commission will resume appropriation sessions tomorrow afternoon. It is not expected that any department heads will appear before them at that time, as accompanying many of the estimates this year were letters in explanation of increases requested.

The commission met in the office of the auditor today and approved the following payrolls: Weekly, $38,627.25; monthly, $25,204.90.

Comfort Tired Aching Feet With Cuticura

When your feet are tired, hot and burning bathe them with warm water and Cuticura Soap and follow by a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment. Cuticura Talcum dusted on the feet is cooling and soothing.

Sampler Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 31G, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Try our new Shaving Stick.

MEDFORD HIGH DEFEATS RINDGE TECHNICAL

The Rindge Technical high school track team was defeated last night by Medford high school, 62-6, in a dual meet held in Medford. This meet was run in spite of the fact that Rindge recently notified the local officials that as the team was to be disbanded from lack of place to practice, the meet scheduled for Feb. 2 with Lowell would have to be cancelled. As Lowell had already gone to some expense in preparation for the meet, attempts were made to hold the contest but Rindge refused to consider it. From appearances, last night's meet with Medford would seem to show a lack of good faith on the part of the Cambridge school, and Faculty Manager Conway stated this morning that it was doubtful if athletic relations with Rindge would be renewed once more.

Officials for the meet with Lawrence on March 1 have been appointed and agreed upon by both schools. The referee will be Coach Shephard of the Andover track team, and one of the judges will be Larry Shields, noted Andover athlete. The other two coaches will also be Andover men.

Many Demands are Made Upon Charity Department

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of spring, a change undoubtedly will come, but for the balance of the winter the calls upon the charity department probably will not abate to any extent and based upon current records further increases are possible.

This is a Water Story

Word was received by Supt. Robert Gardner of the water works at 7 o'clock last night to the effect that water was flowing out of the second-story windows of the house at 295 Stevens street, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Neiland. He sent a repair man to investigate, but as the house was locked and entrance was impossible, the only remedy was to shut off the water at the sidewalk gate.

Inquiry brought the information that Mr. and Mrs. Neiland are out of the city for a few days and Supt. Gardner does not know what has occurred within the house to cause flood conditions unless pipes burst during the recent cold snap. Even if this should be the cause he cannot explain how water would rise to a level to allow it to flow out of the windows.

The Neilands occupy the upper flat of the house, the lower one being empty, and during their absence from the city the entire house has been uninhabited.

IF KIDNEYS BOTHER TRY DOSE OF SALTS

Drink Quart of Water If Your Back Hurts or Bladder Troubles

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin to drink soft water in quantities; also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to help neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone can take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby often preventing serious kidney complications. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.—Adv.

THURSDAY NOON

DINNER TURKEY

50c

Including Dessert and Coffee

SPECIAL SUPPER THURSDAY

BROILED PORK CHOPS

French Fried Potatoes—Coffee—for 35c

FOX'S

Across From Depot

FAIRBURN'S

Next Door to Keith's

RESTAURANTS

U. S. RESUMES RELATIONS WITH GREECE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Diplomatic relations between the United States and Greece have been resumed after a lapse since 1920 when Constantine reascended the throne vacated by the death of Alexander and established a regime regarded by the American government as being based upon military power without confirmation by election.

Recent elections in Greece have resulted in the establishment of a government whose credentials are acceptable to the United States, however, and Secretary Hughes yesterday received M. Tsamadosas, the Greek charge d'affaires, at the same time instructing Kay Atherton, who has been unofficially in charge of American interests at Athens, to act as charge d'affaires ad interim to the new government there.

The new regime already has received recognition from a number of powers, and the action of the United States follows by only two weeks a similar step on the part of Great Britain.

PLAN AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE MONDAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—While members of congress, despite the oil muddle, continued their work on farm relief measures today, administration officials went forward with their plans for the agricultural conference here Monday. More than 80 representatives of interests affected by the agricultural situation have been invited by President Coolidge to attend the conference.

The list was selected with a view to assembling the ideas of farmers, agricultural colleges, merchants, manufacturers, bankers, chambers of commerce and transportation, insurance and mortgage companies.

Among the topics already decided upon for consideration is the program on which the president and his advisers are working for relief of the credit stringency in the northwest, and the action yesterday of the senate agricultural committee in reporting favorably the Norbeck-Burtness bill, making $75,000,000 vailable for loans to enable growers to diversify their products also is expected to receive considerable attention.

NEW YORK'S ACTING MAYOR IN HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Acting Mayor Murray Hulbert was taken unexpectedly to a hospital last night. It became known today. There was no indication of the nature of his illness, but physicians said it was not serious. During his absence William T. Collins, vice chairman of the board of aldermen, will be nominal head of the city government.

Mr. Hulbert has been acting mayor since last summer, when Mayor John F. Hylan, who is at present recuperating in Florida, became seriously ill.

BOYS' PENROD OVERCOATS

Now on Sale at Three Popular Prices

$9.95, $11.95, $13.45

Boys' Shop—Street Floor

The Bon Marché Dry Goods Co.

PRIMROSE HOUSE REPRESENTATIVE

Miss Lillian M. Bell, a special representative from the Primrose House, New York, will be at our Toilet Goods Dept. Friday afternoon and all day Saturday. You are invited to consult her.

The New Dress Goods For Spring

Street Floor

Flannel Checks, in the new spring shades, full 56-inch width, the latest wanted materials for sport dresses, Yard..$2.69

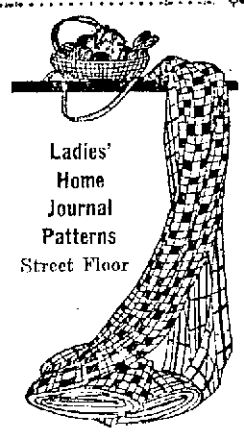
Sport Coatings for spring, so designed as to give distinction. Yard $5.98

Bolivia Coatings, in navy, two shades of brown, grey, black, 54 inches wide, for spring coats and wraps, Yard.....$5.49

Goetz Satins, 36 inches wide, all silk satin, heavy enough to be durable and soft enough to drape beautifully, all colors, Yard $2.75

Camel Hair Coatings, for the new spring topcoat, 54 inches wide, in grey, tan and brown checks and grey and blue checks, Yard....$3.49

Perma-Pleat, an absolutely new spring material, all silk and so constructed as to give the appearance of a pleated material, in tan, cocoa, brown, copen, blue and navy, Yard $4.49



Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

Street Floor

What Style Victrola Do You Like Better?

NO matter whether you prefer the upright models, or the horizontal types—you will find them both represented at attractive prices in our store. We are ready to stand back of each Victrola instrument we sell with all our store facilities and service, because experience has taught us that the Victor trademark under the lid represents quality workmanship, correct design, superior reproduction and customer satisfaction.

Come in and let us show you some of these fine instruments.

Join Our Victrola Club Only $5 Enrols You

18 Months to Pay Balance

New Victor Records, Once a Week, Every Week—

Thursday Morning Specials

TOILET GOODS

Street Floor

Vogue Hair Nets, double mesh; regularly 15c, 3 for 33c

Babcock's Talcum Powder, rose, corylopsis or violet; regularly 25c 19c

Father John's Medicine, large size; regularly 89c 85c

Glycerine and Rose Water, regularly 45c.....39c

NOTION DEPT.

Street Floor

Needle Books, regularly 95c 69c

Gem Safety Pins, 10c and 12½ card .....3 for 25c

Mercerized Darning Cotton, all shades; regularly 10c ball 5c

Fancy Ribbon Elastic, for garters and armbands, combination of colors; regularly 69c, 50c Yard

Wooden Coat Hangers, regularly 12½c, 3 for 25c

DOMESTICS

Velvet Outing Flannel, in white, pink, blue, red, dark and light grey, 27 inches wide, the finest flannel made; regularly 25c 19c

Fruit-of-the-Loom Pillow Cases, 42x36, with factory ticket on each case; regularly 39c, 29c (Limit 6 to a customer)

LEATHER GOODS

Handbags, leather, velvet, silk and tweed bags; regularly $1.59 and $2.00 .....79c

Handbags, envelope and pouch styles, in Persian leather, pin seal, boarded goat and vachette, black, brown, red and green; regularly $3.00 and $3.50 ..... $1.95

Leather Purses, small hand purses, black strap, inside metal frame, in black and brown; regularly $1.00 ..... 79c

NECKWEAR

Mesh Veilings, all colors; regularly 50c yard, short lengths, each 10c

Children's Linen Collars, slightly soiled; regularly 25c 10c

TRIMMINGS

Street Floor

Hamburg Edges and Beadings, regularly 25c, 15c Yard

Fancy Ornaments, regularly $1.00 .....25c

BOYS' CLOTHING

Street Floor

Children's Overcoats, sizes 2½, 3, 4, 5; regularly $8.95 ..... $4.95

Grey and Navy Skating Caps, regularly 95c, $1, $1.29 ..... 79c

TOY DEPT.

Flexoplane Sleds, regularly $1.50 .....98c

Flexible Flyers, regularly $4.50 .....$3.50

5-Ft. White Ash Skis, regularly $3.50 .....$2.98

Large Size Blue Doll Carriage, reg. $9.50, $6.98

Large Dressed Ma-Ma Dolls, regularly $4.98, $3.50

LUGGAGE SHOP

Vacuum Bottles. Regular $1.50.....$1.00 Basement

DRESS GOODS

Street Floor

Metal Cloths, brocaded and plain metal cloths for hat trimmings, in gold and silver, orange and gold, lavender and gold, silver, jade and gold; regularly $6.98, $7.50 yard $4.98

Serges, extra heavy, 54 inches wide, sponged and shrunk, all ready for use; reg. $1.98, $1.75

SILVERWARE

Third Floor

Tablespoons, 1847 silverware; regularly $15.00 dozen, each 79c

Silver Polish, regularly 25c 19c

Cut Glass Individual Berry Dishes, reg. 50c, 39c

Cut Glass Compotes, regularly $1.50.....89c

LINENS

Street Floor

Embroidered Linen Sets, in blue, gold and rose; formerly priced at $3.98. Special, set..$2.00

Imported Mercerized Cotton Napkins, 22x22; regularly $5.49 ..... $2.49

HOUSEWARES DEPT.

Basement

Gas Mantles, inverted styles; regularly 10c, 4 for 25c

Coffee Pot Rests, made of aluminum, felt base; regularly 49c 35c

Kettle Strainers, a very useful article for straining kettles and saucepans of all sizes; regularly 25c, each 15c

Towel Rollers, made of selected wood, takes a full size towel; regularly 25c 19c

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Street Floor

Misses' Vests and Pants, white wool, sizes 20 to 30; regularly $1.00 and $1.25.....50c

Misses' Closed Pants, fleeced, sizes 14 to 16; regularly 59c 39c

GLOVES

Street Floor

Two-Clasp Kid Gloves, regularly $3.00.....$1.00

Strap Wrist Chamois Suede Gloves, in light grey and mode; regularly $1.00..... 59c

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Street Floor

Men's Scarfs, some of wool and some of silk and wool; were $1.95 and $2.25 .....$1.00

Neckties, a rack of ties that were $1.00.....39c

Warm Gloves for Boys, all sizes; were 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 ..... 39c

JEWELRY

Street Floor

Sweater Sets, three-piece set, bar pin and cuff pins to match, sterling silver and gold top; regularly $1.00 ..... 79c

New Beads, imported beads, in opera length and long length, cut in various shapes, all the newest colors; regularly $1.59.....$1.29

Hat Ornaments, new style pins, set with combination pearl and rhinestones, in crescent and narrow effects; regularly 59c 45c

SNOW AHEAD!

Buy Your TOBOGGANS and SKIS NOW

TOBOGGANS

4 ft. Toboggan	$5.50
Cushion	$3.49
6 ft. Toboggan	$7.50
Cushion	$4.49
8 ft. Toboggan	$8.50
Cushion	$5.98
9-ft. Toboggan	$9.98
Cushion	$5.98
9 ft. Rope Strung Toboggan	$12.75
9 ft. Rope Strung Toboggan	$9.75

SKIS

4-ft. White Ash Skis, pair	$2.00
5-ft. White Ash Skis, pair	$2.75 and $4.00
5½-ft. White Ash Skis, pair	$3.50
6-ft. White Ash Skis, pair	$4.50
7½-ft. White Ash Skis, pair	$6.48
7-ft. White Ash Skis, pair	$4.50
8-ft. White Ash Skis, pair	$6.48
Ski Sandals, pair	$2.75

SNOWSHOES

Canadian make	$4.98, $5.98, $6.98
Made in Maine—	
11x42	$8.50
13x48	$8.98
10x36	$6.25
Children's Snow Shovels, regularly 25c	15c

FUNERAL NOTICES

HILL— In this city, Jan. 29, at 614 Westford street, Mrs. Deborah R. Hill, aged 87 years, 7 months and 26 days. Funeral services will be held at 614 Westford street, on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Burial in the Edson cemetery. Funeral Director John A. Weinbeck in charge.

DUDLEY—In this city, Jan. 29, at the Lowell General hospital, Miss Sarah E. Dudley, aged 77 years, 8 months and 2 days. Funeral services will be held at the Funeral church, 236 Westford street, Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. Undertakers Geo. W. Healey in charge.

SABOLL—Died in this city January 29, at 14 Sutherland street, Mrs. Elmire (St. Amant) Saboll. Funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock, from 14 Sutherland street. Solemn high funeral mass at 9 o'clock at St. Louis' church. Friends are invited to attend. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons in charge.

SHEA—Died January 29, Mrs. Cordelia Shea. Funeral will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Ruess, 53 Lane street. Funeral high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in Wild Wood cemetery, Winchester, Mass. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

FOYE—Died January 29th, at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Marcella M. (Roberts) Foye, beloved wife of Edward J. Foye. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. John J. Poole, 1930 Central street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Peter's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Charles B. Taylor will take place Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 27 Lagrange street. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church, hour to be announced later. Funeral will be in charge of Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

FUNERALS

REYNOLDS—The funeral of Henry L. Reynolds took place yesterday afternoon from Saunders' Funeral home, 217 Appleton street, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. E. Ambrose Jenkins, pastor of the First Congregational church of Revere. There was appropriate singing by Harry Hopkins and Miss Hazel F. Tuthill. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were Gordon Reynolds, John Carr, Warren Smith and Raymond McPhail. Burial took place in Riverside cemetery, No. Chelmsford, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Jenkins. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

CLARK—Funeral services for William Clark, a former resident of Billerica, who died Sunday in Tewksbury, were held yesterday afternoon at the tomb in Fox Hill cemetery, Billerica, Rev. J. Harold Dale, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating. The arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

DUDLEY—Miss Sarah E. Dudley died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged 77 years 8 months and 2 days. She leaves three brothers, Edmund of Lowell, Fred E. of West Somerville and Frank Dudley of Ithaca, N. Y., and three nieces, Mrs. Lulu Speere of Worcester, Mrs. Edith Griffin of Portland, Me., and Mrs. Irving Sweet of Lowell. Miss Dudley was one of the oldest members of the First Baptist church. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 236 Westford street.

TAYLOR—Charles B. Taylor, a well known young resident of St. Patrick's parish, died yesterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital, aged 37 years. He was a well known employe of the Rice Wire Works and a prominent member of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters. He is survived by his wife, Catherine (Nagle) Taylor; two children, Raymond and Donald; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor, and three brothers, Joseph, William and George. The body was removed to the chapel of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons, and will later be taken to his home, 27 Lagrange street. He was a member of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church.

SABOLL—Mrs. Elmire (St. Amant) Saboll, widow of Philander Saboll, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 14 Sutherland street, aged 87 years. She had been a resident of this city for the past 67 years and was well known in the Centralville district, where she lived for several years. She was an attendant of St. Louis' church and was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis and Ste. Anne's sodality. She is survived by one daughter, Miss Alma Saboll of this city, and two sons, Charles of this city and Frederick Saboll of Indianapolis, Ind.

DODGE—Isaac W. Dodge died Jan. 29, at the Veterans' hospital at Rutland, Mass. Mr. Dodge was a former resident of Lowell, having been employed as head bookkeeper at the local office of the Nelson Morris Co., until seven months ago. Mr. Dodge served in the World war, spending over two years overseas. Mr. Dodge's illness had been of long duration. He is survived by his father and mother, one brother and a sister as well as his wife and baby son.

KENNEY—The funeral of Miss Jane F. Kenney, an old and life-long resident of this city, took place this morning at 8.15 o'clock from Dr. Flint's sanatorium, Drum Centre, and was very largely attended by relatives and friends, including a number from out-of-town. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. James F. Lynch. The choir, under the direction of Miss Margaret Griffin, rendered the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Griffin and Mr. Joseph Egan. Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye presided at the organ. There were many floral offerings and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were Messrs. Thomas F. Reynolds, Edward F. Cassidy, John F. McAloon and Edward Kenney. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. Fr. Lynch. The arrangements were in charge of Funeral Directors James W. McKenna Sons.

MADISON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary (Quirk) Madison, widow of John Madison, a former district chief of the Boston fire department, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9 o'clock, a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. John Linehan of St. John's church, North Chelmsford, a relative of deceased. The choir, under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary Rynne and Mr. Donnelly, Miss Gertrude Quigley presiding at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were William Daley, David A. Mahoney, Albert Thequette, Patrick Brosnahan, Lieutenant John Freeman, and Joseph E. Lee. At the grave, Rev. John Linehan, assisted by Rev. Peter T. Linehan of St. Peter's church, read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CLARK—The funeral of Mr. Daniel J. Clark took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from the home of his brother, Mr. Joseph W. Clarke, 12 Nesmith st., and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Aloysius Madden, assisted by Rev. Thomas J. Heagney as deacon and Rev. John J. Shaw, the pastor, as sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Miss Margaret Griffin, rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Mr. Joseph A. Egan rendered Leybach's Pie Jesu, Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye presiding at the organ. The church was well filled with parishioners and many representatives of the civil and fraternal life of this city as the deceased was well and favorably known. Among those present were the following from the Lowell Aerie, F.O.E.: Messrs. Past Worthy President Timothy F. Barry, Patrick Baxter, Thomas F. Quinn, Jr., John F. McCarthy and Thomas J. Hunt. Services were held last evening, being conducted by Worthy President Thomas F. Quinn and officers, Mr. James E. Donnelly acting as chorister. The following delegation from the Lowell Lodge of Elks also acted as bearers for the deceased: Thomas A. Golden, James H. Walker, Alexandre Ducharme, John M. Ford, James L. Kenney, E.L.K., and Walter Whitney. There was a great profusion of floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Madden. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MASS NOTICE

BEAN—There will be a month's mind mass for the repose of the soul of William Henry Lefebvre, (Bean), Monday morning, February 4, at 8 o'clock, at the Sacred Heart church.

A NEW ORGAN

A new two Manuel Estey church organ has been installed at The Funeral church, 236 Westford street. It is much larger and better toned than the one previously in use. It will add greatly to the dignity and church-like atmosphere of funeral services held at this establishment. It is optional whether the organ is to be used at a funeral service or not. There is no charge for the use of the church, but if the organ is desired a fee is required for the organist. Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, organist at All Souls church, has consented to act in a like capacity at The Funeral church.

UNDERTAKER GEO. W. HEALEY,
236 Westford St., Cor. Lane St.

DEATHS

HILL—Mrs. Deborah R. Hill, widow of David L. Hill, died yesterday at her home, 614 Westford street, aged 87 years, 7 months and 26 days. She leaves one daughter, Miss Addie M. Hill of this city. Mrs. Hill has been a resident of Lowell since 1850.

LEBEL—Murielle Lebel, daughter of Thuribe and Cecile (Lebel) Lebel, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 137 Lawtucket street, aged 2 months and 7 days.

FOYE—Mrs. Marcella (Roberts) Foye, wife of Edward J. Foye, died last night at St. John's hospital. She was a well known resident of St. Peter's parish, and was married only four weeks ago. Her death at this time will cause regret among her many friends, as well as much sympathy for her husband and family. Besides her husband, she leaves her mother, Mrs. John Poole; one sister, Miss Eileen Poole and a brother, Joseph Poole. The body was taken to the home of her mother, 1930 Central street, by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COSTELLO—Mrs. Katherine Costello, widow of the late Patrick Costello, died at the home of her daughter, 124 High street, this noon. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of C. H. Molloy & Sons, in Market street. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Delia Bates, and one son, Walter Costello. Mrs. Costello was a prominent member of the Immaculate Conception parish. Funeral notice later.

SMALL FLOWERS

Flowers are seen blooming gayly on the latest spring millinery. Small flowers in conventional arrangements are the rule.

ST. ANNE'S QUINTET LOSES AT LAWRENCE

After winning the first 13 games of the season straight, St. Anne's basketball team went down to defeat last evening in Lawrence, when the Lawrence Boys' club five rolled up the score of 36 points to St. Anne's 26. The game was featured by the entrance of Jim Kelly, star forward, in the last quarter in which time he threw five baskets. Kelly, one of the team's best assets in other years, has been out of the play, for almost a year due to injuries received last season.

The Lawrence team slightly outweighed St. Anne's and was by far the best outfit the local boys had tackled this year. Tomorrow night the strong American Glue Co. team from Boston will play in the parish house on Kirk street. The game promises to be the best that has been offered the Lowell fans this year.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

The county commissioners in an informal session at Cambridge yesterday discussed the opposed petition of the Massachusetts Cities Realty Trust for permission to maintain the spur track in Jackson street leading to the Bay State storage warehouses, their property. No decision was reached by the commissioners, the discussion being simply an exchange of ideas on the validity of the grounds upon which the petition is opposed. The decision will probably be made before the next monthly session of the board and announced at that time.

Badly Damaged by Fire

Continued

through the partitions, the fire broke out again in the attic in the front section of the house. The building is shingled with slate and this interfered with the work of the firemen, it being necessary to tear off a considerable section of the roofing before the fire could be extinguished. After the fire appeared to be extinguished and the men were preparing to leave, a blaze was discovered in the wood work under the slate roof and for ten minutes hose and chemical lines were directed upon this section before Chief Saunders ordered a cessation of the battle.

The recall was sounded at 7.22 o'clock but one company was detailed to watch the premises for a recurrence of the fire.

Chief Saunders investigated the fire after sounding the recall but was unable to definitely ascertain its cause as the section in which it originated was completely destroyed.

The damage was estimated at between $10,000 and $15,000 and was covered by insurance.

The residence is one of the landmarks of the Belvidere section, having been built by S. R. Griffin when he was a water works commissioner. It was afterwards purchased by the Stevens family and was occupied by Tyler A. Stevens for many years. Since last November it has been transferred three times, H. W. Ordway selling to Margaret Fitzgerald and the latter transferring title to the present owner.

Capt. David Petrie of the police detective bureau started an investigation of the fire this morning at the request of Fire Chief Saunders, but as yet has made no report.

MOTORCYCLE SQUAD

Members of the Lowell motorcycle police squad, relieved less than a month ago because of the advent of snow-covered ground, were back on their old jobs yesterday. After nearly a month in blue the riders looked as spiffy as ever in their whipcord uniforms and Sam Browne belts.

Some of the new jackets for spring have loose, slightly flaring backs and bell-shaped sleeves.

HELP YOURSELF TO GLORIOUS HEALTH

If you knew that you had only to stretch out your hand to regain your health, to get back your youthful vim and animation, how quickly you would grasp the opportunity!

Perhaps you are reading of that opportunity now. In every State in the Union there are many people who have been restored to health by the use of Gude's Pepto-Mangan. Why not give this time-tried remedy a chance to show what it can do for you?

Go to your druggist today for Gude's Pepto-Mangan, liquid or tablets.

Free Tablets To see for yourself the health-building value of Gude's Pepto-Mangan, send for free Package. M. J. Breitenbach Co., 53 Warren St., N. Y.

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Store Ahead

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Greatest values in our history — "Nuf ced."

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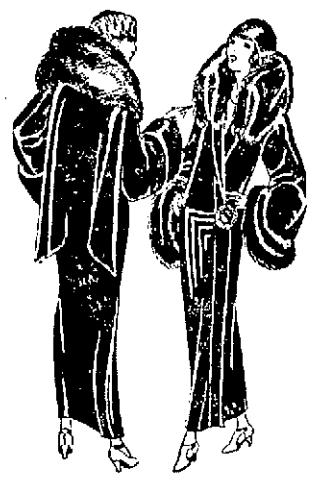
Coats -- Dresses

And Hand Tailored Suits



The Coats

High grade fur trimmed coats—coats of such fine soft pile fabrics as **Excello, Raritan, Bolivia**—trimmed with **Beaverette, Squirrelette, Opossum** and other popular furs. Every coat full lined and well tailored. Every wanted shade. All sizes in the lot. Yes Ma'am, they would be good values at double our low price of $12.00.

The Suits

Fashionable Suits, well tailored, materials are **Velour de Laine, Tricotine, Poiret Twill.** Many even have **Fur Collars** and **Cuffs.** Colors are Navy, Black and Brown. **Sizes 16, 36, 38, 40, 42.** We'll sacrifice them for one-third their regular price—don't miss them at $12.00.

The Dresses

Fashion's Newest Spring Styles, mostly one of a kind models copied from every expensive creations. This is your chance to get a beautiful dress at less than cost of materials alone. **Sizes 16 to 20 and 36 to 46.**

Be here when the sale starts. Materials alone cost double our sale price of .....

$12

FIFTY NEW STYLES TO SELECT FROM! MATERIALS ARE CANTON CREPE, SATIN CREPE, ROMAINE CREPE, IRIDESCENT GOWNS, CHIFFON VELVET, POIRET TWILL. DRESSES FOR EVERY OCCASION. All the Newest Colors.

147 Silk Waists

Beautiful Silk Blouses in georgette crepe, satin, canton crepe. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed. All shades. **Sizes 36 to 42.** Quantity limited. While they last **$1.29**

114 New Hats

Yes, Advance Spring Hats in new Satins and Straws, trimmed in ways that will please you. All the new colors. One of a style. They would be good! You at double our price. For this sale **$3.50**

208 Girls' Fleece Lined Union Suits

Sizes 8 to 16 years. Long and 3-4 sleeves. High neck and Dutch neck, ankle length. Not more than 4 to one customer **25c**

Third Floor

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Final performances will be given this evening at the Merrimack Square theatre of "To the Ladies," the rollicking James Cruze comedy of domestic life with a cast which includes Edward Horton, Theodore Roberts and Louise Dresser. Those who have seen this production pronounce it one of the best of the season. "The Dancer of the Nile," a story of the times of King Tut, is the companion attraction.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday the underlined feature will be Buster Keaton in "Three Ages," the noted comedian's first-reel comedy feature. It is indisputably Keaton's funniest comedy. It is not only funny but sustains that fun through six reels of comic action burlesquing man and his methods of winning his mate in three different epochs of history.

"Three Ages" opens with the cave man age and shows Buster as a full fledged cave man surrounded by others of his tribe. Unfortunately Buster has fallen in love with the woman who is desired by the strong man of the clan. A duel is arranged and Buster "leads" his club with a rock, beats his rival into insensibility and finally seizes the woman forcibly and escapes with her.

The next episode takes place in the period of the triumphant Roman empire. Again Buster has a rival for the woman he loves. A chariot race is arranged to decide the affair. The day of the race brings snow and Buster appears in a chariot on runners drawn by Eskimo dogs, his rival, furious, throws him into a den with a hungry lion. Buster escapes, defeats his rival and escapes with the woman.

The action then changes to our own day. The same situation appears and the contest this time is a football match. By clever strategy Buster wins the game after which his rival "does him dirt." But here, too, Buster has the upper hand and wins the girl. "Three Ages" is a remarkable picture from every angle, not the least of which is its elaborate scenic setting.

Hoot Gibson in "Double Dealing" and a comedy, "On Easy Street," with the News Weekly will complete the bill.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A very cleverly written and acted comedy is "Doubt," which Paul Decker and his company offer at the B. F. Keith theatre this week. Unusual to a degree it will keep audiences wondering right up to the very end. It holds some unusually bright lines. One of the very best ventriloquial acts ever seen here is that presented by Walter and Emily Walters. It has everything in the parlance of the day, and it has caused no end of real entertainment. Wade Booth, American baritone, gives a program which includes some of the smaller classics of the present time. His singing is excellent and his whole act is one of much dignity. There are many other interesting things on the bill, including the act of George M. Fisher and Henry Hurst, which is comedy and song; Jean LaCrosse, California's favorite soprano, and the Hostons, wonderful jugglers. The week's picture is "The Broad Road."

THE STRAND

What is a "necker"? What is a "red kiss"? What is a "white kiss?" What is flapperism in its truest sense? If you would learn, then don't fail to see "Flaming Youth," with Colleen Moore starring, now being shown at The Strand. Miss Moore plays the role of a the little flapper who steals her sister's no-to-party dress and then steps out to knock 'em cold. She does. At her first party she's a riot. She would need a secretary to keep track of all the "dates" she made that night. Conventions simple didn't belong in this young girl's code. But she has an awakening and it comes in a most dramatic and romantic way. Milton Sills, Myrtle Stedman and others of screen prominence and popularity, are seen in the supporting cast.

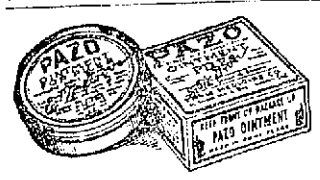
The second feature presents Douglas MacLean and Edith Roberts in "The Sunshine Trail," a good romantic comedy of the west. The usual comedy and Weekly help to make up a program of real merit. Don't miss seeing "Flaming Youth" and learn and benefit by it.

THE DEMI-VIRGIN

William Courneen, new leading man of the Luttringer stock players, makes a splendid impression in "The Demi-Virgin," this week's play at the Lowell Opera House. Mr. Courneen made his first appearance yesterday at the matinee performance. At the outset it was perfectly plain that he is an actor of merit and experience. Miss Lillian Desmonde, who joined last week as new leading lady, further endeared herself in the hearts of her audience. With teh two new leads, both proving highly popular, the Luttringer unit here takes rank as one of the leading stock companies of the east. The local unit has for the past season been noted among the showmen for its sterling supporting cast, but a weakness in the leads as has been inferred. This is overcome with the selection of Mr. Courneen and Miss Desmonde so it is safe to assure we may look for even better things.

A number of extra women are required to present this play, a romantic farce of three acts. The first scene shows an interior of a Hollywood motion picture studio and the setting is especially good. The second scene is at the country home of Gloria Graham (Miss Desmonde) a week later. The settings are up to the usual high standard. The show abounds in smart lines, snappy sayings and unusual costumes. It is a show that more than lives up to expectations and is certain to make a great hit throughout the week. To name individuals who stood out particularly last night would be only to name them all or to slight some. The cast:

A Movie Director....Malcolm MacLeod
Assistant Movie Director
Frank Farrara
Camera Man.....Hal Stack
Dot Madison.....Dawn Frost
Cora Montague.....Edna Earl Andrews
Amy Allenby.....Gladys Fernandez
Wanda Bonesca.....Betty Hartford
Aunt Zeffie.....Marguerite Slavin
Betty Wilson.....Fern Chandler
Chicky Belden.....John Howe
Gloria Graham.....Lillian Desmonde
Sir Gerald Sydney.....Richard Morgan
Wally Dean.....William Courneen



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WARNS THE POLITICIANS

Must Keep Hands Off or He'll Quit Job, Says Director Butler of Phila.

Declares Mayor Kendrick is Right Back of Him in Cleanup Work

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30.—Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, director of public safety, has emerged victorious in his first encounter with a group of politicians who sought to intercede in behalf of a police lieutenant demoted because of alleged inefficiency during the directors' latest offensive against vice and crime.

In his terse and emphatic manner, General Butler yesterday told the politicians that he was boss of the police and that any sign of political interference would result immediately in his resignation and return to the marine corps. After a conference with Mayor Kendrick regarding the matter, the general announced today that the mayor had upheld his action. "The mayor's a good boy," he said. "He's right back of me in this rotten job."

RIALTO THEATRE

For presentation at the Rialto theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday is William Russell's latest William Fox production, "Times Have Changed." Opening a new page in the screen career of William Russell, this attraction boasts a story and a leading character enactment that is difficult to associate with any previous Russell film. Firstly, Russell is said to expose hitherto unsuspected comedy depths. He appears in the likeness of Mark O'Rell, a handsome army officer who finds his love in an army nurse while in France. The comedy elements centre around his return to Wynwood, the seat of the Redmans, the youngest scion of which he is engaged to marry. The Redmans are an old family with many shelves of dusty tradition. They are as proud of their family as any Roman patriarch.

When Mark, in his bright army uniform, is formally inspected by the reception committee of the family his discomfort is great. With disdainful eyes and critical smirks he is finally accepted. Aunt Cordelia, head of the Redman clan, presents her niece, now the wife of Mark, with the family heirloom. "Ten generations of Redmans have died under it," the aunt informs the young wife. It is a quill—the stormy petrel, the modus operandi of the story. Playing with William Russell are Mabel Julienne Scott, popular leading lady, and Allene Ray, beauty contest winner.

Everyone knows or has heard some of the beautiful music from the opera "The Bohemian Girl" and this wonderful story of gypsy life has been transferred to the screen. And this is the first time in the history of the screen that an opera has been transferred to the screen. A splendid musical score will interpret the picture and it is said that in screen form the story has lost none of its power.

DRACUT CENTRE CHURCH

Dracut Centre church members have elected Nelson E. Huntley chairman of the church music committee, Miss Doris Peabody secretary and Miss Doris Fox treasurer. Mrs. Robertson has been re-engaged as chorister and Miss Margaret Martin as organist. The choir has purchased much new music for 1924 use.

CUTTING ICE IN NO. BILLERICA

Ice harvesting began yesterday at North Billerica, the work being in charge of Contractor B. W. Kearney. The first cut is about 12 inches in thickness and of good quality.

V-NECK FAVORED

Necklines may be round, square or pointed this year, according to individual preferences, but the pointed V-neck is preferred.

HOSEMAN JAMES TRACY SERIOUSLY INJURED

Hoseman James H. Tracy of Hose 13 was seriously injured last night when he fell from the rear of the hose wagon while it was responding to an alarm and struck his head on the pavement. He was removed to St. John's hospital, where it was found that he was suffering from a possible fracture of the skull.

The accident occurred shortly after 8.45 last night. Hose 13, which is quartered in Central street, was answering an alarm from box 419 and Tracy was standing in the rear of the truck. As it swung into Gorham street from Central he lost his hold and fell to the ground.

The alarm was sounded for a fire in a house in St. James street, which is in process of being remodelled. The fire started under a sink in the kitchen and spread through the partitions, causing about $500 damage before being extinguished.

Chief Saunders investigated the fire and as a result requested the police department to investigate it also. Chief Thomas R. Atkinson and Lt. Martin Maher of the police department went there this morning and will continue the investigation during the late afternoon.

ATTEND HEARINGS AT STATE HOUSE

George H. Gurney and Bernard D. Ward of the Lowell postoffice and Representatives Slowey and Brennan of Lowell yesterday appeared before the hearing board at the state house to speak in favor of proposed postal wage increases.

Another bill hearing attended by Rep. Slowey was that on his project to permit the pensioning of matrons in the employ of the city of Lowell. The committee took the matter under advisement.

HAS NEW AUTOMOBILE

Water Works Superintendent Robert Gardner has a new car, a Hupmobile sedan, at present a part of the Hup exhibit at the automobile show at the Auditorium. The purchasing agent awarded the bid to the Hupmobile, based upon the proposal of Thomas Rafter, local agent, of $1550 with an allowance of $350 on an old Buick.

Big Seizure of Illegal Gaming Devices

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for liquor. Investigation revealed no wet goods, but behind one of the counters the collection of "punch" boards was found. The alleged proprietor, when questioned later, denied all knowledge of ownership, claiming that the boards had been left in his shop by an unknown man. Several holes in the boards had been punched.

Included in the seizure was a large board containing 3000 chances at a nickel a punch. It was entitled "Alaskan Gold Mine." One of the prizes on this was $5 in cash. There were other cash awards also.

Another board contained the words, "Going home? Square yourself by taking a box of classy sweets. May cost 5 cents, not more than 16 cents." The prizes offered included three fountain pens, two pipes, one belt, two knives, two pencils, one lady's wrist watch, three stickpins, one pair of opera glasses, two cigaret cases and several small pieces of jewelry.

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BOOK REVIEW AT EDUCATIONAL CLUB

An interesting review of R. H. Tawney's book, "Acquisitive Society" was given before the Educational club in Kitson hall yesterday afternoon by Rev. Leslie C. Bockes of the Church of All Nations.

The book, written by one of a group of English Quakers, who had been interested in industrial adjustment, is one which stands firmly for stabilized conditions in industry, so much so that it contends industry should be made a service to the community.

An outstanding feature of the book is to make society a profession. With doctors, ministers and lawyers who are in professions certain ideals which are of value are followed. So, it would be, the writer claims, if industry were raised to a profession.

Mrs. Elizabeth D. Leggat opened the business meeting and the reports of the previous meeting were read by the secretary Mrs. W. S. Jessop.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINER

Thure E. Gilinson, of 121 Andrews street, a carrier in the United States postoffice in Gorham street, has been appointed an examiner on the civil service board in Lowell, Postmaster Delisle announced this morning. He will succeed Harry J. Maguire in this position, the recent appointment of Mr. Maguire to the head of the Centralville sub-station having made it impossible for him to serve on the board any longer. In his new position Mr. Gilinson will conduct the examinations for appointment to government jobs held in the postoffice.

SEIZURE OF LAND

City Solicitor Patrick J. Reynolds conferred today with George Byam of the firm of Byam Bros., relative to the seizure of land owned by him in connection with the development of Highland park at Stevens, Wilder, B and Parker streets. The seizure now is in process of litigation, with Mr. Byam seeking a further award for damages.

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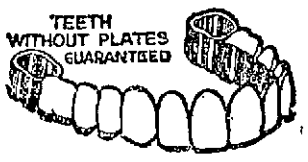

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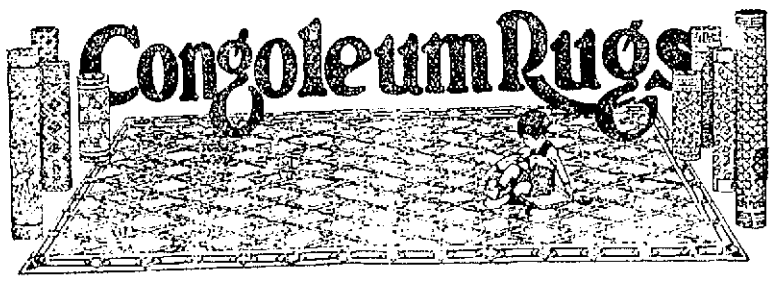

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MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Harry A. Lawrenson and Miss Helen E. Shea, two well known and popular residents of St. Peter's parish were married at St. Peter's rectory by Rev. Fr. Heffernan on January 23. Mr. Joseph Lawrenson, brother of the bridegroom, and Miss Katherine M. Shea attended the bridal couple. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Lawrenson left on an extended wedding trip and upon their

Rebel Forces Plan Guerilla Warfare

Continued

mate purpose of domination. In Mexico City dodgers making similar charges in huge type, have been secretly printed and distributed.

Complete official reports of the Esperanza victory are still unavailable although the war department has announced that 16 engines and 132 cars were captured during the recent offensive, including sixty cars loaded with food and ammunition and 57 with horses and automobiles. Railway service along the eastern front has been extended from Mexico City to Oriental, the department announces. Fighting is proceeding in the vicinity of Poncitlan, upon the Jalisco front, where the vanguard under Gen. Amaro is engaging the rear guard of the rebels under Gen. Alvaro, according to press despatches from Celaya, headquarters of Gen. Obregon. Poncitlan, the point of the federal advance has been reached, and the bridge over the Zula river burned during the rebel retreat, which makes it impossible for federal military trains to follow closely the loyal advance guard. Gen. Escobar's columns have reached Acambaro, the specials added and are pursuing the enemy, who have retired to Morelia.

Counter Attacks By Rebels

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Jan. 30.—Rebels recently driven from Victoria, capital of Tamaulipas, counter-attacked yesterday, according to information received by representatives of the De la Huerta government here. The rebels have established headquarters at Padilla, 20 miles northwest of Victoria, and are attacking the capital with a large force, it was added.

Fighting at San Fernando, 60 miles below Matamaros, was resumed yesterday, a courier reported to the revolutionary representatives here. Reinforcements have been received, he said, and the rebels claim they again are holding the town.

Monterey despatches state that the entire federal garrison at Morelia, capital of Michoacan, was killed or captured, including Manuel W. Lopez, second in command under Gen. Amaro.

RADIO BROADCASTS

WGI, MEDFORD

5.30 p. m.—Closing market reports.
6 p. m.—Boston police reports.
6.15 p. m.—Code practice.
6.30 p. m.—Message to Camp Fire Girls by Charles W. Cassون—Big Smoke.
7.20 p. m.—Science Up to Date.
7.30 p. m.—Evening Program.
Twenty-minute tragedy—Men Folk—by the Emerson Sketch club of Emerson college, comprising Myrtle E. Hutchins, Ethel R. Seagel and Hannah T. Kerwin.
8 p. m.—Talk on Aviation, by Harry D. Copeland. The Adventure of Snaring Bird Songs, by Chas. C. Gorst, under the auspices of the Massachusetts Audobon society.

WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Orchestra; organ recital from the Modern Theatre; talk, Hints for Motorists—Keeping the Car Fit in All Kinds of Weather, George Leghorn.
5 p. m.—The Day in Finance.
6 p. m.—Children's Half Hour, stories and music, Mrs. Wm. Keith Stewart.
6.30-7.30 p. m.—WNAC Dinner Dance, Crescent Garden orchestra.
8.10 p. m.—Broadcast from the Colonial Theatre, Earl Carroll's Vanities, orchestra under the direction of Leon Rosebrook.

WTAT, BOSTON

8 p. m.—Boston Police Traffic Division Band.

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3 p. m.—WTAM orchestra; Dick Finnegan, boy soprano; Mrs. H. A. Davis, lady baritone; Alice Flayhaven, xylophone; Mildred Kelly, accompanist; Mrs. M. J. Sweeney, soprano.

WGY, SCHENECTADY

6 p. m.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins.
6.30 p. m.—Adventure Story, Silent Night.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

6.30 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Pittsburgh Athletic association orchestra.
7.30 p. m.—Address.
7.45 p. m.—The children's period.
8 p. m.—Farm market reports.
8.15 p. m.—A Day at the Famous Baths of Vichy, Grayce Druitt Latus.
8.30 p. m.—At this time KDKA will present a concert of very unusual character. The details will be announced by Radio.
9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals. Weather forecast.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

6 p. m.—Dinner concert by the WBZ quintet.
7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story for the kiddies. Humorous program.
9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals.
11 p. m.—Program of chamber music by the WBZ quintet.

WRC, WASHINGTON

5.15 p. m.—Instruction in international code.
6 p. m.—Children's hour by Peggy Albion.
Note—This station will be silent Wednesday evening during the broadcasting of the concert of the Philharmonic orchestra from New York by WCAP.

WJZ, NEW YORK
660 Kc, 456 Meters

3 p. m.—Recital of Peggy McGraw, soprano.
4 p. m.—The Home Beautiful, by Dorothy Ethel Walsh.
4.30 p. m.—Tea concert by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.
5.30 p. m.—Closing market reports.
7 p. m.—Children's period.
7.30 p. m.—Dance program by Cafe Boulevard orchestra.
7.45 p. m.—The Progress of the World.
8 p. m.—Dance program continued.
8.30 p. m.—The Dock Department, by the Hon. John Delaney, commissioner of the department of docks of the city of New York; one of the City Official Series of talks.
8.45 p. m.—Hanna von Vollenhoven, noted pianist.
9.15 p. m.—Dr. Margaret E. Noonan, Natural Ways in Which Children Learn.
9.30 p. m.—Dance program of the Maxwell band.
9.55 p. m.—Time signals and weather forecast.
10 p. m.—Results of Millrose Athletic association meet, by Maj. J. Andrew White.
10.15 p. m.—Dance program continued.
10.45 p. m.—James F. Nash, lyric tenor.
11.15 p. m.—Results of the Millrose Athletic association meet.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA

6 p. m.—Bedtime stories.
6.30 p. m.—Meyer Davis Concert orchestra.

WOO, PHILADELPHIA

7.30 p. m.—Dinner music from Hotel Adelphia Concert orchestra.
8.30 p. m.—Mrs. Guy Stewart McCabe, character songs.
8.45 p. m.—WOO orchestra, George R. Miller, baritone; George Powell, accompanist.
9.55 p. m.—Time signal and weather forecast.
10.10 p. m.—Organ recital.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE

5 p. m.—Selections by the Walnut Theatre orchestra; police bulletins; weather forecast; Just Among Home Folks; selections by the Strand theatre orchestra; late important news bulletins and market reports.
6 p. m.—Time announced.
8.30 to 10 p. m.—Concert under the auspices of Mme. Cara Sapin, of the Louisville Conservatory of Music; late important news bulletins; time announced.

WCAE, PITTSBURGH

6.30 p. m.—Dinner concert by William Penn Hotel orchestra.
7.30 p. m.—Children's period.
8 p. m.—Dancing lesson.
8.30 p. m.—Musical program.

WOR, NEWARK

6.15 to 6.50 p. m.—Music While You Dine by Ernie Krickett and his orchestra.
6.50 p. m.—Radio for the Layman.
8 p. m.—Addresses by Alpheus Geer and William J. Stuart.
8.15 p. m.—Recital by the American trio.
8.30 to 9 p. m.—Arthur Murray's dancing lessons.
9 p. m.—Continuation of the recital by the American trio.
9.15 p. m.—Clarence Mulford will talk about his western experiences.
9.45 p. m.—Scouting a Factor in National Safety by Lew R. Palmer.
10 p. m.—Continuation of the recital by the American trio.
10.15 p. m.—Program under the direction of H. Emerson Yorke. Sopfano solos, Ethel Fyne; tenor solos, Joseph White; soprano solos, Fritzie Leighton.

WILL MEET TO DISCUSS THE BONUS

A meeting of all ex-service men and American legion members of Massachusetts will be held in Mechanics hall, Boston, on Sunday, Feb. 3, at 3 o'clock, for the consideration of means by which a bonus or adjusted compensation may be attained. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, state commander of the legion, will preside. The general public is also invited to attend.

The speakers who will talk on the subject of compensation for veterans are Hanford MacNider, past national commander; Aaron Sapiro, chairman of the Legion legislative committee in Washington; Senator David I. Walsh and James T. Williams of the Boston Transcript.

Members of the state legislature, Mayor Curley of Boston, and Senator Henry Cabot Lodge also have been invited to attend.

WESTFORD HAS LARGEST CAUCUS IN HISTORY

More than 400 voters attended Westford citizens' caucus, Monday evening—the largest similar meeting ever held in the town. Frank L. Furbush defeated Fred Blodgett for selectman nomination; Arthur G. Hildreth won the nomination over Martha Whitney, George F. White and A. Mabel Drew for school committeeman; Leonard W. Wheeler captured the tax collectorship nomination from Arthur L. Healy; Joseph Walker was nominated for constable, defeating William Wall and John F. Sullivan.

Other officers nominated without contests were the following: Town clerk, Charles L. Hildreth; assessor, Elbert H. Flagg; overseer of the poor, Charles R. Blodgett; trustees of public library, Julian A. Cameron for three years, William V. Rodenbush for one year; cemetery commissioner, Wesley G. Hawkes; board of health, P. Henry Harrington; treasurer, Frederick H. Meyer; tree warden, Harry Nesmith; moderator, Herbert E. Fletcher. Alfred A. Hartford, former representative, was elected chairman of the caucus and Frank C. Johnson, secretary.

OBSERVES HER 82ND BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Agnes Grant, a resident of North Billerica since 1914, yesterday observed the 82d anniversary of her birth at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wallace V. Brown of Twombly avenue. Many relatives and neighbors called to pay respects and tender gifts.

The octogenarian was born in Garsecben, Scotland, Jan. 29, 1842, leaving her native land in 1861 for Canada, where she made her home in Scotstown, P. Q. for many years. After her marriage, she came to North Billerica. Mrs. Grant's health is excellent.

BIG MEETING LAST EVENING AT Y. W. C. A.

The Merrimack Valley association of Leaders met last evening in the Y.M.C.A. with representatives present from Lawrence, Haverhill and Lowell. Bruce Douglas, president of the Lowell branch, presided over the meeting, at which several interesting speakers were heard. The conference voted to hold its 1925 meeting in Haverhill, next January.

James Cookson, Lawrence physical director, outlined a program of work for leaders and George Listman, state physical directors' society secretary, spoke on the future work of the leaders. Donald R. MacIntyre, Lowell school physical director, told of the possibilities that lie in physical education for instructors. Otis W. Butler, on behalf of the Lowell club welcomed the conference to this city and told of work that has been done by the leaders here in the past year. Walter Muzzey recounted stories of old timers in the work here. The ideals of the organization were outlined in the final address by Harold F. Howe, general secretary of the Lowell Y.M.C.A., in his talk on "Association Objectives."

The Lowell Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 4000. Imagine the Auditorium filled to capacity 20 times and you will get some idea of the number of people who read The Sun daily, and 90 per cent of the 80,000 readers of The Sun take no other Lowell newspaper.

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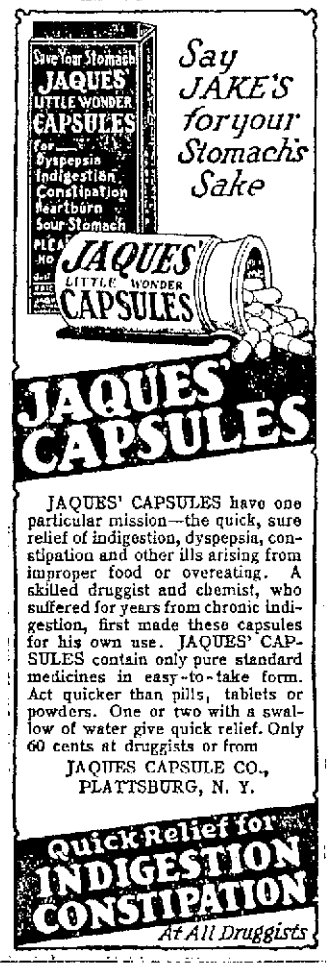

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GAS PRICES RISE WITH INCREASING USE AND WASTAGE OF MOTOR FUEL

BY ISRAEL KLEIN
N.E.A. Service Writer

The gradually rising cost of gasoline holds out little hope for the motorist.

It is the inevitable reaction to the reductions in prices that stirred the nation late last summer. It was expected throughout oil and automobile circles, because it had been understood that the revolt for lower fuel costs was too unusual to last long.

Prices were expected to rise again, although not to the peak of 1923.

The cause for this return to former prices is seen in reports of consumption of gasoline not only in the United States, but throughout the world. Besides producing for this country's automobiles, the oil fields of the United States have been sending out more and more of their product to other countries.

Heretofore production of gasoline has been keeping ahead of consumption here and abroad. An oversupply of one billion gallons of fuel was reported last year. But this over-supply is seen to dwindle into practically none at all, with the growing demand for fuel from more and more new motorists, and the increasing exportation of American gasoline, with no importation at all.

To offset this threatening increase of consumption over production, in gasoline, several efforts are being made toward economizing in the use of the fuel. The U. S. bureau of mines leads in this attempt.

According to experts, from 3 to 4 per cent of the gasoline accumulated during the winter for summer supply is lost through evaporation. To prevent the loss of several hundred million gallons, the bureau of mines has been experimenting on various methods. One is the use of cooling systems in vapor-tight tanks, to check dissipation of the gas.

In the process of evaporation, the first fractions to escape are the most volatile, leaving an inferior fuel in the storage tanks.

A perfect fuel mixture consists of about .07 of a pound of gasoline to a pound of dry air. Yet most motorists use nearly twice as much fuel as necessary, say fuel engineers. This is one of the greatest factors in the present wastage of gasoline, they add.

Substitutes for gasoline are so many and so frequent that there need be no fear of any marked rise in fuel prices. If gasoline ever rises to inaccessible heights, even alcohol might be substituted at a cheaper rate.

The latest substitute is one devised by naval experts. It is about 70 per cent. gasoline and 30 per cent. denatured anhydrous alcohol, making a mixture efficient especially for aircraft use. It may result not only in a better, but a cheaper, fuel than the present high-test gasoline used for air travel.

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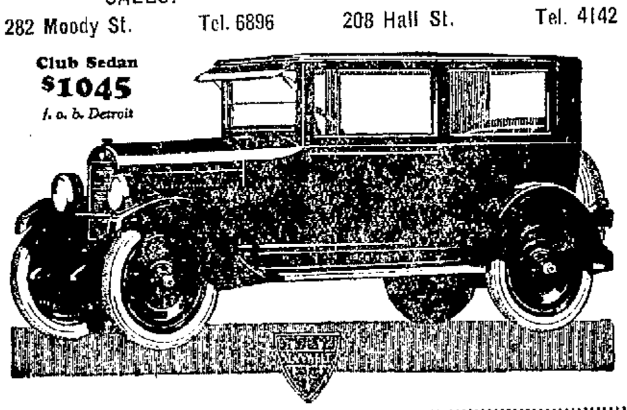

AUTO DEVELOPMENTS OF YEAR 1923

BY ISRAEL KLEIN
NEA Service Writer

The outstanding automotive improvements of the last year may be classed as follows:

1. Four-wheel brakes.
2. Balloon tires.
3. Traffic transmission.
4. Multiple-disc, self-adjusting clutch.
5. Perfected straight-eight.

Of these, only one may be considered an innovation—balloon tires. All the others have been tried out or used in less improved form in former years.

Balloon tires were thought of long before 1923, but they did not come into popular use until last fall. Taxicabs about Akron, O., had been running on these soft-cushion, low-inflated tires for thousands of miles, just to test them. Now they are being adopted quickly on all sorts of automobiles.

The popularity of these tires is still to manifest itself, for they have not yet been offered to the public without reserve. The tire engineers are still striving to gain the utmost perfection on them before being adapted to general use.

Just as tire manufacturers have been reluctant to release their new product until fully improved, so have the advocates of four-wheel brakes been installing their inventions on more and more automobiles, despite persistent controversy and doubt. There hasn't been as much discussion against the balloon tire as against the four-wheel brake system, yet it is the latter that has taken the chance of testing public approval or disapproval.

Apparently the public has taken in the improvement with outspread arms. Even some of the automotive engineers and manufacturers who had been outspoken against the wisdom of such an improvement have succumbed to their lure.

The traffic transmission, installed in the new Chandler, is nothing new. It was tried out by pioneer manufacturers. Now, perfected and improved, it comes forth as a relief for the nervous motorist who winces at rasping gears.

Shifting is accomplished by an internal form of transmission, but there are no gears to mesh. All gears are already intermeshed. So that there are no grating gears, and no danger of stripping them—making driving safe for the most unaccomplished motorist.

Packard has succeeded in perfecting its straight-eight engine to a nicety. Perfect balance and freedom from vibration has been secured through a singular design of the crankshaft. The moving parts are in such perfect balance, it is said, that the engine needs bolting only to sustain its weight, while others have to be held rigidly to the frame to absorb some of the excessive vibration.

The multiple-disc, self-adjusting clutch, on the new Cole, is another solution to the problem of making gear-shifting easy and silent.

Tendency to clatter, grab or distort is practically obliterated, say Cole engineers. The interwoven corded fabric and steel plate makes for longer wear. The six springs back of the eleven plates keep these snugly together, so that the clutch works evenly all around.

Among other important developments in automotive manufacture during 1923, may be included:

1. The business type of sedan or coupe, which motorists may use for business or pleasure. The seats and their backs are removable, so that merchandise can be packed into the car, as into a truck. Or they may be placed together, to make a bed for the occupant.

2. Mechanical gear-shifting—although this has been in long use on many cars—has come in for added improvement. It is another means of making driving easy for the motorist.

3. Air cleaner, designed for the 1924 Rickenbacker, to remove dust and dirt from the air before it enters the carburetor. Incoming air is blown against a cone shaped head that deflects the dust and dirt, and allows only clean air to be drawn in. Less carbon deposit in the cylinders and less liability to grate and score the walls are claimed as benefits.

SENIOR COURT OF HONOR

Thirty Boy Scouts Examined for Advanced Rating and Merit Badges

The Senior Court of Honor, Boy Scouts of America, met last evening in the rooms of the chamber of commerce and examined 30 boys for advanced rating and merit badges. This is the largest group that has been put through at one time since the movement was revived in Lowell. The following boys were given second class scout ratings: Troop 2, John Murphy, George Barrett; Troop 9, Albert West, Herbert Abrams, John Montgomery; Troop 15, Daniel Walker, Donald Kimball, Earl Pollard, Linwood Norton, George Corfield, George Young, Walter Bishop; Troop 18, Raymond Baxter; Troop 31, Richard Collins; Troop 1, Billerica, Oliver Damon, Chester Ruston and Reginald Baker.

Four boys were advanced from second to first class scouts, as follows: Troop 9, Harold Williams; Troop 10, Whitney Gray; Dracut, Troop 1, Merrill Huntley and Stuart Hovey.

The following merit badges were awarded: Troop 10, Erson Barlow for first aid; Richard Gray for first aid, firemanship and animal first aid; John Lambert, Jr., for cycling, civics and firemanship; Wendell Smith for firemanship, Harry Speel for first aid to animals, and Warren Vanderburgh for civics, first aid and firemanship; Troop 1, Dracut, Edward Maddocks, for music and chemistry, and Arthur Wells for first aid, craftsmanship and cooking.

SHOWING NEW CADILLAC SEDAN

Two new closed body styles on the standard V-63 chassis are announced as additions to the 1924 line of the Cadillac Motor Co. The new models are a seven-passenger sedan and a four-passenger Victoria-Coupe. This sedan, which is on display at the show—by George R. Dana & Son, is offered at $3585 and the Victoria, which will soon be in the hands of distributors, will be priced at $3275. These extraordinarily low prices represent a signal accomplishment through the combined efforts of Cadillac and Fisher Body corporation engineers.

Cadillac closed bodies of aluminum have always appealed to a large group usually requiring a body individually built to order. The additional new all-steel bodies have been created to meet the demands of a still larger group of buyers who desire Cadillac quality both in chassis and body, and yet are willing to yield something of exclusive individuality to obtain Cadillac values in a standard-built body.

The external lines and internal dimensions of the seven-passenger sedan are nearly identical with those of the seven passenger Suburban de Luxe. The color is an attractive dark blue with carmine striping, and with black paneling around the windows. The bodies are very comfortably upholstered in a beautiful worsted cloth with headlining to match in color, and the garnish moldings are genuine walnut.

The Victoria has always been one of Cadillac's most popular body styles. With its interior parcel compartment and generous luggage space in the rear deck, it is particularly adapted for shopping tours and business uses. tinublic fynifren

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Allied Heads Exchange Notes

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new head of the British government picked up the thread of Franco-British relations at the point where it was broken after the interview between Mr. Baldwin and Premier Poincare in Paris last autumn, says the Daily Telegraph. It adds that the letter was dispatched in accordance with the British statesman's aversion to the traditional methods of diplomacy and his preference for more direct means of negotiations.

The letter written as soon as Mr. Macdonald was installed in Downing street was delivered through Lord Crewe, the British ambassador at Paris. It informed M. Poincare that the new government had been organized, say the newspapers, and remarked with perfect candor that relations between the two countries for several well understood reasons had ceased to be as friendly as formerly and that public opinion in Great Britain viewed the French policy with a certain degree of suspicion being somewhat nervous about what might happen in Europe.

The prime minister then, according to the Daily Telegraph expressed a willingness "to meet Poincare half way in an attempt to achieve a final, complete and clear settlement." He also voiced the hope that the French government in the same conciliatory spirit would be ready to discuss all outstanding questions.

M. Poincare's answer asserts the newspaper, was awaited with some anxiety lest the approach should not have been well received, but it seems that the answer was sympathetic, giving rise to a hope for a better atmosphere for a discussion of troublesome issues between the two nations.

THE BIG SHOW

PEOPLE of all generations are intensely interested in any means of transportation they can personally own and master. Years ago it was the horse. Prize Dobbins competed at the horse show and were admired in stall and applauded on the racetrack at county fairs. Other exhibits there were, but the horse furnished the Big Thrill.

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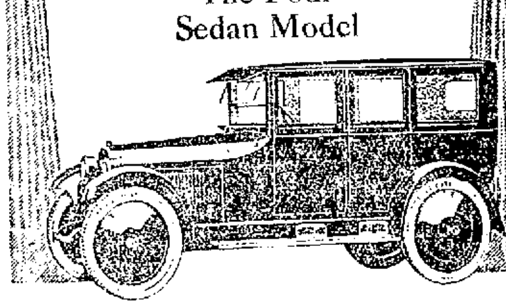

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ANDERSON MAY APPEAL VERDICT

Dry Leader Convicted on Two Counts of Forgery in the Third Degree

Expected to Appeal Before Feb. 8, the Date Set for His Sentence

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Dry leaders today intimated that William H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league of New York, convicted by a jury before Supreme Court Justice Tompkins last night on two counts of an indictment charging appeal the verdict by Feb. 8, the date third degree forgery, probably would set for pronouncement of sentence.

It was pointed out that George Z. Medalie, who has argued many cases before the appellate division, had been at the defense counsel table for the last few days of the trial which began a week ago Monday.

Anderson received unflinchingly the verdict which was returned after the jury had deliberated an hour and forty minutes. With the consent of Assistant District Attorney Pecora, the prosecutor, bail of $5000 in which the dry leader has been at liberty since the indictment was returned, was continued.

Former Governor Charles S. Whitman, chief defense counsel, in his summation stressed the contention that changes in the league's books, made at Anderson's direction, meant no loss to the league while Mr. Pecora argued the changes were made for income tax evasion and that the federal and state governments and the league had been defrauded.

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The changes, on which the indictment was based, involved transfer of $4400 from the salary account of O. Bertsall, Phillips, a collector for the league, to Phillips' expense account after it had been agreed that Phillips and Anderson were to "split" the former's annual commission in excess of $10,000 annually.

Mr. Pecora's summation stressed Anderson's account that he had been given about $25,000 by a mysterious John T. King, which money had been expended in a league publicity campaign by an equally mysterious Henry Mann. He asserted the story strained credibility.

The extreme statutory penalty for the conviction is five years in the penitentiary but members of the district attorney's staff asserted first offenders sometimes were given six months sentences.

EDITH KELLY GOULD SUES

Former Wife of Frank J. Gould Wants Half of Gould's Property in France

VERSAILLES, Jan. 30.—Edith Kelly Gould, former wife of Frank J. Gould, has asked the courts to grant her the right to half of Mr. Gould's property in France, or about 800,000,000 francs.

She contends that inasmuch as she and her former husband had a domicile in France and that as no special deed of settlement was executed at the time of the marriage specifying that each retained control of their individual estates, the French law of the community of property between husband and wife should apply. On the dissolution of the marriage the plaintiff avers, she was entitled to one-half.

On the contrary, Mr. Gould maintains that inasmuch as both were American citizens when married in England, the American law alone is applicable.

A hearing has been set for March 19.

BRIGHT LEATHER

Leather, particularly in bright tones, is used on the serges and jerseys that the smart flappers are wearing.

BURNS PROVE FATAL

Miss Fairfield, Independent Coal Dealer, Died at Salem Hospital Today

SALEM, Jan. 30.—Miss Charlotte Fairfield, aged 60, independent coal dealer, died at the Salem hospital this morning as a result of burns sustained Monday morning at her home, 13 Pleasant street, when her dress caught fire from a gas heater in the kitchen. She beat out the fire with her hands and calmly walked to the telephone and asks da friend, Miss Edith Hayward, who lives near, to come to her assistance. Miss Hayward responded and Miss Fairfield was removed to the hospital. Although severely burned about the hands, head and body, it was not thought they would prove fatal, but last night she began to sink rapidly.

In 1903, Miss Fairfield attracted attention by withdrawing from the Salem Coal club and starting as an independent dealer, cutting the price. She leaves no immediate relatives, the nearest being a niece.

MAN RESCUES HIS WIFE AT BRATTLEBORO FIRE

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Jan. 30.—In a fire which destroyed the house and barn in West Wendham, owned and occupied by Ray Richardson, about midnight last night, Mrs. Richardson was taken in her night clothing through a window by her husband, other avenues of escape having been cut off. The other members of the family were away from home temporarily. The cause of the fire is not known. Mr. Richardson was awakened by the explosion of rifle cartridges in the kitchen cupboard and started to give a telephone alarm, but was driven back by the flames and went at once to the rescue of his wife. The all of the house was then in ruins. Two horses lost their lives. The property loss was about $2000. There was small insurance.

REP. JEWETT OPPOSED TO LAWRENCE MEASURE

(Special to The Sun.)

STATE HOUSE, Jan. 30.—Rep. Victor F. Jewett of Lowell at a hearing today before the committee on railroads opposed the request of J. P. S. Mahoney of Lawrence for legislative sanction which would allow the City of Lawrence to borrow money outside its debt limit for the elimination of a grade railroad crossing and the erection of a new depot. Rep. Jewett, as republican floor leader and chairman of the speaker's cabinet, contended that such a request is out of line with the law which allows cities to borrow outside the debt limit for certain improvements. HOYT.

POLICE CHIEF HURLEY, NOTED DIVER, DEAD

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Jan. 30.—Well known for his feats as a diver as well as for his official career, Chief of Police Michael Hurley died here today in his 68th year. He joined the force as a patrolman in 1895, and became chief 10 years ago.

Among Hurley's feats as a diver was the recovery of the bodies of fourteen young women drowned in a pleasure boat off the Isles of Shoals. In searching for the bodies, he descended 75 feet, a record in this district.

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PARDON FOR LT. GRIFFIS

American Officer Imprisoned in Germany for Attempt to Kidnap Bergdoll

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Corliss H. Griffis, the American who attempted to kidnap Grover Cleveland Bergdoll in Germany, has been released from prison by the German government. The state department was so advised today.

It is understood that the Berlin government acted after it had been informed of sentiment in the United States.

Griffis will be returned at once to the United States. The state department's cable from the Berlin embassy merely reported the fact of his release, adding that he would take first available transportation from Germany to this country.

NO HEARING TODAY ON BOK PEACE AWARD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Because of the absence of Senator Reed, democrat, Missouri, the senate committee investigating the Bok peace award held no session today. It is planned to resume hearings tomorrow. Miss Esther Everett Lape, in charge of the policy committee of the award, has questioned the authority of the committee to delve into the process by which the winning peace plan was selected. Thus far, the point has not been decided.

Fall Unable to Attend Hearing

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the purpose of his return to Washington.

At the house end of the capitol the naval committee began a hearing on the disposition made of royalty oils from the Doheny and Sinclair leases with navy department officials as witnesses.

Besides the Walsh annulment resolution, passage of which is expected today, the senate has on its waiting list resolutions asking for removal of Secretary Denby and Attorney General Daugherty; one proposing to reassert title to oil land in California held by Standard Oil; and one appropriating $100,000 for the court prosecutions, amended today in committee to provide that the special counsel employed must be confirmed by the senate.

Fall Unable to Testify

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Physicians attending Albert B. Fall told the senate oil committee today that the former interior secretary is in no condition to appear before it and testify.

The hearing was behind closed doors and details were not divulged. It was learned, however, that the doctors related how Mr. Fall had remained in his room continuously since his arrival in Washington last Thursday night, had shown little if any improvement from day to day, and had reached a stage of nervous exhaustion threatening collapse.

Committee members questioned the witnesses at length regarding the cause of this condition, but the replies were not made public. The physicians insisted that it would be inadvisable under all the circumstances to attempt to take the former secretary to the capitol for questioning.

The purpose of the hearing was to enable the committee to decide whether it would call Mr. Fall before it or appoint a sub-committee to examine him in his sickroom, as suggested by his counsel.

To Adopt Resolution

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—While the senate approached a vote today on the naval oil lease annulment resolution, department of justice officials, assembled information obtained through observation of testimony taken by the investigating committee for presentation to the special counsel named by President Coolidge to act for the government in court proceedings growing out of the inquiry.

Selection of Silas H. Strawn of Chicago, republican, and Thomas W. Gregory of Austin, Tex., democrat, as the special counsel, announced last night, had relieved the pressure on the White House to some extent, but Secretary Denby, who signed the leases with former Secretary Fall of the interior department and Attorney General Daugherty, remained under fire in the senate.

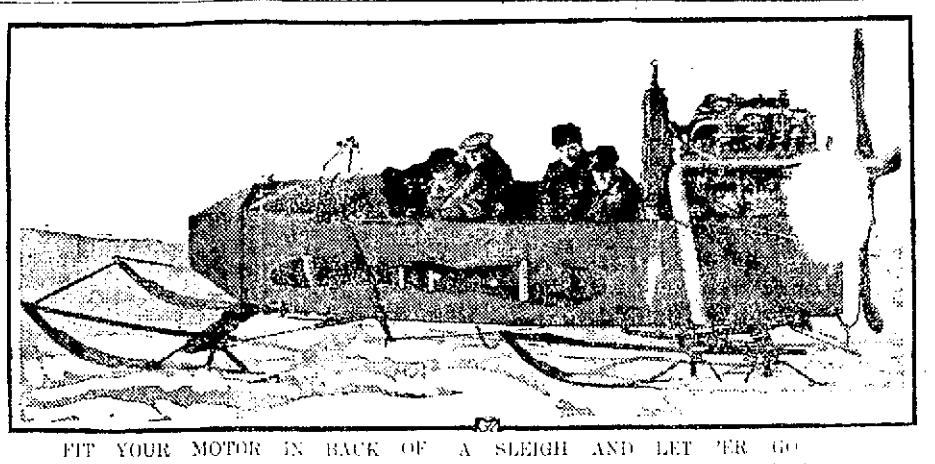
The senate investigating committee, meanwhile, met to question physicians attending Mr. Fall, who has been confined at the home of J. W. Zovely since his arrival here for examination as to various financial transactions and the house naval committee also took a hand in the situation seeking information from Secretary Denby and other officials of the navy and interior departments in an effort to determine whether the oil leases served the best interests of the government.

A resolution by Representative Fairchild, republican, New York, pending in the house, proposes cancellation of the leases without court action, differing in that respect from the Walsh resolution before the senate which requests the president to institute proceedings in the courts to annul the leases and prosecute any person found guilty of wrong doing in connection with the transactions.

The senate committee, in addition to asking Fall's physicians about his health and the possibility of his early appearance, also had called upon Director Bain of the bureau of mines to present data as to the disposal of storage oil from naval reserve No. 1, in California and of royalty oil from the Salt Creek field.

Mr. Strawn, who describes himself as "interested," but never active in politics, and Mr. Gregory, attorney general for four and one-half years during the Wilson administration, are not expected to begin their work together until the latter part of the week, when the latter is due to arrive from Texas. Mr. Strawn came here yesterday and held a preliminary conference with the president late in the day.

Senate discussion of the Walsh resolution heavily burdened with political debate centering chiefly around President Coolidge, Secretary Denby, Atty. Gen. Daugherty, already had proceeded for an hour when it was resumed today, but a vote was in prospect before adjournment with adoption of the measure generally regarded as a foregone conclusion. Mr. Coolidge, it is thought, then will submit the names of Mr. Strawn and Mr. Gregory for approval, although he may await action on the resolution appropriating $100,000 for the legal activities, which already has been adopted by the house and is pending before the senate appropriations committee.



FIT YOUR MOTOR IN BACK OF A SLEIGH AND LET 'ER GO

If you have to drive over snow-laden roads, why not put your auto engine in back of a sleigh, fit a propeller on the crankshaft and go? This is the kind of vehicle you might build. It's designed by the Wing Brothers, St. Ignace, Mich. The sleigh can make more than 70 miles an hour and can run down to about three miles an hour, say its designers.

LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

Husband Charged With Non-Support and Assault—Other Cases

Michael S. Forsley, charged with assault and battery on his wife and also with non-support, was adjudged guilty on the first and not guilty on the second charge in district court today. His wife stated that he struck her with a wash-basin when she objected to his using the table-cloth for a towel while shaving. He also struck her seven or eight times, she said with his fist. Mrs. Forsley's mother corroborated her daughter's story.

Forsley denied striking his wife, but admitted having what he termed an "argument" with her. He claimed that the mother was responsible for the rupture in the family happiness. As far as not supporting his wife, he said, he gave her weekly sums which she promptly deposited in a bank and then asked for more.

On the assault and battery complaint, he was sentenced to four months in the house of correction, $300 for his appearance in superior. He appealed and bonds were set at court.

Suspended Sentence

A sentence of four months in the house of correction, suspended for six months, on condition that he make restitution in the amount of $36 for damages caused by the smashing of a bevel plate glass in the door of the Plaza lunch last night, was imposed on Geo. Higgins in district court this morning. Defendant was charged with drunkenness and breaking glass. The drunkenness charge was filed with an adjudication of guilty.

Another Glass Crash

A sentence of three months in the house of correction, suspended for a year, was imposed on Thomas Hochnyk, charged with breaking three panes of glass in a house in Chestnut street on Jan. 21. According to the testimony, defendant put his fist through three windows because he was refused admittance by a young widow. Restitution for damages was made.

Drunkenness Docket

James F. Thomas, Orlo Van Valkenberg and Margaret Freeman appeared on drunkenness charges and were found guilty. The trio was arrested in Van Valkenberg's house in Davis street, last night, by Officers Patrick Connolly and Patrick Leavitt, who went there as the result of complaints made by neighbors. Officer Connolly told the court that the two men and the woman were drunk and boisterous.

Thomas was given a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction, while Van Valkenberg and the Freeman woman were continued until tomorrow.

John McEntee, drunkenness, was found guilty and continued for sen-

JOHN C. PIHL STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

John C. Pihl of 31 Lundberg street was injured early last evening when he was struck by an automobile operated by Everett R. Dunkerly of East Chelmsford while crossing Gorham street. He was removed to St. John's hospital in the ambulance.

According to the report of the accident, Mr. Dunkerly drove his machine to the left of an electric car which had stopped to discharge passengers. As the machine came abreast of the car, Mr. Pihl stepped from in front of the car and was struck by the mudguard of the machine.

Mr. Pihl is reported today at St. John's hospital to be resting comfortably.

VENIZELOS' WIFE CALLED TO HIS BEDSIDE

ATHENS, Jan. 30.—By the Associated Press—The condition of Premier Venizelos, who was striken ill during a heated debate in the national assembly yesterday is such as to cause cancellation of all engagements for 10 days, and his wife has been summoned from Paris. The attack, which took the form of heart trouble, is said by his physicians to have resulted from his extremely nervous condition, amounting almost to a breakdown. While the premier's condition is not regarded as grave, his friends are concerned over the possibility that he will be obliged to relinquish active political leadership. An extraordinary cabinet meeting, was held this morning to consider the measures necessary to carry on the government in Venizelos' absence.

MRS. HARRIMAN GRANTED DIVORCE

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Louise B. Harriman has been granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Oliver Carley Harriman, stock broker, polo player and son of Oliver Harriman, the banker, supreme court Justice Taylor revealed today. Mrs. Harriman was awarded the custody of her two children. An unnamed young woman of New York was named correspondent in the divorce action.

TO INVESTIGATE SHIPPING BOARD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Democratic leaders in the house announced today they would attempt to have a special committee appointed to investigate the affairs of the shipping board.

FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

Trial of Mrs. De Bouchel, Against Asa G. Chandler, Set for Today

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 30.—Trial of the suit of Mrs. Onezina De Bouchel of New Orleans against Asa G. Candler, Sr., Atlanta soft drink magnate, for $500,000 for alleged breach of promise set for today in federal district court, is expected to be bitterly contested. Attorneys early today refused to discuss the probable length of the trial but a number of witnesses have been summoned.

Selection of the jury will be from veniremen widely scattered throughout the northern section of Georgia.

Mrs. De Bouchal, charging in her petition that Mr. Candler broke his engagement to marry her as the result of alleged information that two men had visited her in her room in a hotel at night during a "confederate reunion in Atlanta in October, 1919, seeks vindication of the alleged charges."

She stated that she asked Mr. Chandler to give her the names of the informants and that he refused.

Mr. Chandler in his answer said he did not make charges against Mrs. De Bouchel, but merely conveyed to her the information he had received. He stated he refused to give the names of his informants because he did not wish to involve anyone who had been actuated by friendship for him.

Mrs. De Bouchel's suit was filed on Feb. 17, 1922. Mr. Chandler married Miss R. A. Egan of Atlanta, last June.

"GENIUS"

Henry Cowell of California, shown here, has just returned from Europe after a successful tour which has set music lovers up in arms over his methods. He uses his fists, fingers and elbows and yanks the strings inside the instrument. Modernists call him a genius. Others say he is all wrong.

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OBJECTS TO CITY GOVERNMENTS INTERFERING WITH SCHOOLS

Superintendent of Schools of Fall River Voices Severe Condemnation of City Government's Interference With Conduct of School Departments

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Severe condemnation of the "growing habit" of city governments in interfering with the conduct of the school department in their respective cities was voiced yesterday afternoon by Hector L. Belisle, superintendent of schools of Fall River, at a hearing before the legislative committee on education.

The subject under consideration was the "hardy annual" bill to raise from fourteen to sixteen years the age at which children may leave school and go to work. Superintendent Belisle expressed himself as in hearty accord with the purpose of the bill, but insisted that it is entirely wrong in principle because it is an attempt to place upon the public schools a burden which they are not equipped to maintain.

"As a matter of fact," he declared, "the education structure of the commonwealth is slowly breaking down, chiefly because the school department is subjected constantly to interference from members of city governments and others. There is a constant meddling. We are constantly being asked to do this, or to do that, but there is seldom any effort to give us the money to do things with.

"Take my own city for an example. In 1921 the city of Fall River was authorized to borrow $1,500,000 for the construction of new school buildings. The mayor at that time disagreed with the school committee, and he declined to make the loan. His successor has done nothing since he came into office. Hence three years have elapsed since this legislature decided that we need additional school buildings, yet not a spadeful of earth has been turned."

He said his criticism was not intended to be directed at either political party to the exclusion of the other. "It's just due to the contrariness of human nature," he said, "and I have not observed that that condition is confined to any particular party."

He opposed the school age bill as one which would not only place a tremendous burden upon the schools, by forcing back to school all boys and girls between fourteen and sixteen years of age, but as one which would work great hardship upon many people. In Fall River, in particular, he said, many families are forced to depend to a considerable extent upon the earnings of children between sixteen and eighteen. Many fathers have come to him, he said, and stated that it was absolutely necessary to take boys or girls out of school to earn something toward the household expenses.

He expressed the opinion that the time will come when every child will be kept in school until the age of eighteen is reached, and he considered that it would be a great boon to children when it arrives, but he predicted that it will come only when the state decides to compensate the parents of those between sixteen and eighteen for the loss of the wages which they might earn.

Dr. Payson Smith, commissioner of education, told the committee that the consensus of school authorities of the entire commonwealth last year was that the time is not yet ripe for the legislation. He advocated passage of an act providing that the age be increased to fifteen years, and that the last year be devoted to continuation school courses.

HOYT

DR. JOHN G. CRABBE DEAD

GREELEY, Colo., Jan. 30.—Dr. John Grant Crabbe, 55, president of the Colorado State Teachers' college here, died this morning from hardening of the arteries.

During 1913 and 1914, while a resident of Kentucky, where he was prominent as an educator, Dr. Crabbe was president of the National Education association.

"MADAME BUTTERFLY"

Puccini's Colorful Opera at Auditorium Evening of February 18

"Madame Butterfly," the happy selection made for the single performance to be sung by the San Carlo Grand Opera Co. on the occasion of its visit to the Memorial Auditorium on Feb. 18, enjoys a peculiar place in musical history.

Essentially Japanese in locale and atmosphere, regarded by many operatic authorities as the outstanding triumph of the great Italian composer, Giacomo Puccini, and first sung in Italy, the opera found its way into literature by way of an American magazine and to the lyric stage as an adaptation from the American dramatic stage. Emphasizing this unique genesis, "Madame Butterfly" will be sung here in Italian by the greatest of Japanese prima donnas, Tamaki Miura.

Comparatively few realize that the pathetic legend of the little Japanese maid and her inconstant American lover was chrystalized as a story in a popular magazine, yet such was the case. It was written by John Luther Long and fell under the eye of David Belasco, who was quick to recognize its tremendous dramatic values. Long and Belasco developed a dramatic version, which found vogue with theatregoers and in turn attracted the attention of Puccini, flushed with the success he had achieved with "La Boheme" and "Tosca" and eager for a highly dramatic lengend worthy of his musical genius.

About the plaintive and colorful story the master composer wove a gossamer creation of melody as dainty and atmospheric as the subject itself and as sublime as the tragedy with which it closes. Illica and Giacosa, whose lyrical treatment of "La Boheme" provided the frame over which Puccini draped his wonderful music in that great work, were entrusted with transforming "Madame Butterfly" into operative form. It is probable that they were responsible for the initial failure of the work through structural inconsistencies incidental to combining the action of the second act in one scene. In any event the premiere of "Madame Butterfly" at La Scala, Milano, in 1904, was marred by the work of Italy's musical idol being hooted by the audience.

Nearly a year was devoted to careful revision and rearrangement and when the opera was again submitted to the public it was in its present familiar form. This was at Brescia and "Madame Butterfly" was declared an unequivocal success, despite the earlier unfavorable verdict of a more important musical center.

A presentation at Covent Garden, London, followed almost immediately and proved such a triumph that the work was soon sung in every great musical center of the world—and everywhere with success. It was incorporated in the standard repertoire of all the great operatic organizations, including La Scala, and is accounted one of the most popular of grand operas. The greatest tenors of modern times have sung the role of Captain Pinkerton and dramatic sopranos have vied with each other for the title role.

Arias from "Madam Butterfly" are included in the repertoire of the leading concert and recital artists, and it is doubtful if there is a first class phonograph concern throughout the world that fails to include the great Puccini opera in its selections. "Amore o grillo," "Ancora un Parso," "Iersi son salita," "O quanti occhi fisi," "E' bel di vedremo," "Ora a voi," "Sai cos ebbe cuore," "Tutti i fior," "Ve lo dissi," "Io so che alle sue pena," and the music of the death scene are among the most familiar selections that enjoy widest popularity.

COME TO CROSS ROADS ON NEW REVENUE BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Republican members of the house ways and means committee came to the cross roads today in their consideration of the new revenue bill and were confronted with the necessity of deciding whether the income rates, the heart of the tax measure, are to be fixed in full committee or among themselves. The latter road presented the additional problem of determining the extent of difference between the rates they would name and those specifically recommended by Secretary Mellon.

The committee began its day's work by considering some of the technical features of the revenue bill which had not been disposed of at closing time yesterday.

Suburban Day at Auto Show

Continued

open arms or rather armsful of natty literature, telling all the whys, where-fores and hows of each and every sparkling motor car around the two "rings" and the big circular park in the main Auditorium, missed anybody.

No unnecessary room is wasted in the Auditorium this week. Find it if you can! Cars appear to be everywhere in the corridors, "back stage," in reception rooms, dressing rooms and rear circle sweep. You trot around gaily and find your favorite car and suddenly see another car peeking out at you through an open door into another back stage or corridor space. You investigate and find yourself peering into another section beyond. There are sometimes walls between, but the doors standing invitingly open and there is a glimpse of gay bunting or silk flags, streamers, containing advertising, palms, potted plants and, of course, in the immediate centre, position AAA, stands your next car and farther on another next, etc.

Do the show visitors escape seeing these cars hidden away behind partitions outside the main auditorium? They do not! The mezzanine floors can't hold them eternally. It is a moving picture of men and women, constantly on the go, eager to see the next car, attempting to see them all and, for the most part, getting a glimpse of each and every four-wheeled 1924 offering, with four-brakes, balloon tires, rain wind shields, all the new "first year's" and every blessed other new thing there is to discover.

There were no speakers last evening. Mayor James M. Curley sent regrets. Mr. Wilfred Kershaw continued his afternoon organ recitals, to the delight of music-lovers who appreciate Kershaw quality playing and Kershaw favorite selections. In the evening, the ten piece orchestra offered a new program of popular airs mixed with more serious numbers that pleased the show-goers.

Perhaps the outstanding features of this year's automobile exposition at the Auditorium are the new balloon tires, the four-wheel brakes, the variegated and practically all new forms of both open and closed bodies, the low priced "sixes" and the improved types of engines.

From every viewpoint, the 1924 car—speaking in the aggregate category and singular—is cheaper, faster, better and more durably finished than any of its predecessors. The public this year will be able to purchase safer cars than were made last year; cars that use less fuel and carbonize less and "knock" less.

During the past year, manufacturers in many instances reduced the size of their engines, appreciating that high efficiency from a small engine is better than low efficiency from a large one. Automobile engineers, too, have taken more advanced steps to overcome the effects of dusty air and dirty gasoline and oil and new filter or purify these three important articles of their property's diet. Car designers have given more study to the effects of vibration this year also. Changes of design to reduce this evil are evident in the majority of improved types at the Auditorium this week.

Boy Scouts Do Policing

An interesting feature of the auto show aggregation of willing attendants and servitors on duty to provide information and other aid to visitors who seek help of any kind, is the delegation of Lowell Boy Scouts present each day from 4 to 9 p. m. Five brightly appearing and alert boys, fully uniformed even to slim baton and service emblems, are on regulation duty in the Auditorium and corridors. They are there to give assistance to anyone who needs information or guidance. They answer telephones, too; deliver messages, call taxicabs, help patrons to find their way about the Auditorium, deliver luncheons from the refreshment booths, locate lost articles and do about everything a wideawake, active and intelligent youngster can do to be of real service at an assemblage of elders.

The day's scout detail of five members has a representative from each of five different troops. The next day five more troops have single members present on regular duty. The work of the Boy Scouts—for it is work and not dull child's play—has been the admiration of all show visitors thus far this week. It is a pleasing example of well trained youth anxious to serve and considering it a real duty to serve in a Lowell community business cause.

Much of the credit for the excellent showing of the Lowell Boy Scouts at the Auditorium this week goes, of course, to the very efficient and hard working local chief scout executive, Mr. Edwin J. Mellen.

What about those rainbow colored balloons—hundreds of them—that soared dizzily all over the Auditorium last evening with excited show visitors holding the ends of tiny strings? Just a dramatic colorful donation for the good of the cause by the wideawake Prince-McCann company, advertising the Studebaker 1924 lines.

Tomorrow night, "Governor's Night," brings in all probability Lieut. Gov. Alvan T. Fuller, who is to represent Gov. Channing Cox. Mr. Fuller attended last season's Lowell show and gave it fulsome praise.

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Boys' All Wool Suits, good blue serge; sizes 3 to 8. Thursday Special.....**$1.98**

Boys' Flannel Shirst, khaki, gray, all wool; sizes 12½ to 14; $2 value. Thurs. Special **$1.50**

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SHOE DEPARTMENT

Odd Lot Women's High Shoes, black vici kid, military or low heels; many Goodyear welts; sizes 2½ to 6 in lot. Thursday Special **50¢**

Odd Lot Women's Tan Oxfords, Strap Pumps, with military or low heels; many Goodyear welts; all good styles; sizes 2½ to 8; values to $4. Thursday Special.....**$1.29**

Women's Sample Timbro Comfort Shoes, high lace, oxfords, juliets; many with hand-turn soles and rubber heels; sizes 4 to 5½; values to $3.50. Thursday Special **$1.39**

Men's Shoes, fine calfskin with oak leather soles, all Goodyear welts, neat English lasts; sizes 6 to 11; width A to C; $5 values. Thursday Special **$1.50**

Children's Shoes, black, tan, lace and button styles; some with fancy tops; hand-turn soles; sizes 2 to 11 in lot. Thursday Special ..... **95¢**

Children's High Grade Shoes, with novelty tops; sizes 3 to 11 in lot; odd pairs of $2.50 and $3 grades. Thursday Special.....**$1.79**

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Kotex, 12 in package, 65c value. Thursday Special ..... **53¢**

Elastic, odd pieces in black or white. Thursday Special ..... **3¢**

Children's Garters, black, white. Thursday Special ..... **9¢**

Twilled Tape, white, slightly counter soiled; 10c value. Thursday Special ..... **8¢**

Embroidery Edging, also feather stitch braid; 10c value. Thursday Special ..... **7¢**

STREET FLOOR

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Union Suits, Vests, Pants, heavy winter weight jersey; broken sizes; slightly counter soiled; values to $1. Thursday Special **79¢**

Women's Flat Wool Vests, in white and natural wool; sample sizes; $2 value. Thursday Special ..... **89¢**

Misses' Wool Union Suits, size 16 only; $3 value. Thursday Special **$1**

STREET FLOOR

GLOVES

Women's Two Clasp Gloves, of chamois suede with fancy embroidery on back; 59c to 79c value. Thursday Special .....**50¢**

Children's Wool Gauntlet Gloves, in camel, oxford, brown heathers; $1 value. Thursday Special ..... **69¢**

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Nurses' Uniforms, of white Indian Head or percale, form fitted, loose belt pockets, surgical sleeves, convertible collars; sizes 36 to 46; $2.98 and $3.98 values. Thursday Special **$1.95**

Billie Burke House Dresses, medium colors in percale; made with collars, pockets, belts; sizes 36 to 42; $1.39 value. Thursday Special **$1**

Flannelette Bloomers, good quality, made with reinforced piece, ruffle at knee; pink or blue stripes; sizes 27 and 29. Thursday Special ..... **43¢**

Scotch Flannel Nightgowns, all white trimmed with fancy braid or hemstitching; sizes 15, 16, 17; $1.69 value. Thurs. Special **$1.19**

SECOND FLOOR

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Negligee Shirts, madras, high count percale, form fitted, loose belt pockets, surgical 14 to 17; $1.50 value. Thursday Special **$1**

Men's Union Suits, heavy jersey rib; all sizes; $1.65 value. Thursday Special.....**$1.29**

Men's Half Hose, all wool, green and brown heathers; 69c value. Thurday Special **50¢**

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Women's Silk and Wool Hose, black and brown heathers; slight irregulars of the $1.65 quality. Thursday Special .....**69¢**

Children's Golf Hose, brown and green heathers, with turned down cuffs. Thurs. Special **19¢**

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Children's Wool Tams, green, navy; 79c value. Thursday Special ..... **39¢**

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ANOTHER MOVIE THEATRE

Rumors of New Motion Picture House for Lowell Revived in Boston

Rumors of a new motion picture house for Lowell, backed by national interests, have been revived again in the film distribution houses in Boston. About four months ago Lowell theatre managers heard similar rumors and after a careful survey succeeded in spiking them as untrue. No more was heard of the subject until yesterday.

Down in Boston there is "the film district," about a good stone's throw and forty paces from Park square. Here theatre managers from all New England come and go throughout the week reviewing films and bartering for rights of production in their respective cities. Every motion picture film buyer in Lowell visits there at least once a week. Many go oftener. There are several places tucked away in back of the big buildings in that section where any film, if in, is run off on request. eYsterday the initial New England run-off of "Let No Man Put Asunder," starring Lou Tellegen and Pauline Frederick, was given in Boston. Inasmuch as this picture has been widely exploited while in the making, the majority of local picture buyers were down to look it over. They were immediately asked about a proposed new theatre to be built here and all were admittedly mystified.

Real estate men questioned this morning were equally in the dark, they said. One location mentioned by film men in Boston as the probable site of a new house was investigated independently by at least two theatre managers this morning and found to be quite out of reach in view of the fact that two of the stores at present on the property are protected by long leases which they would undoubtedly be indisposed to relinquish.

While feeling certain that the project is more mythical than anything else, Lowell showmen were impressed with the seriousness of their informers who for business reasons are obliged to keep an ear to the ground for any theatre news in New England.

The municipal license commission and the censors of Lowell shows have put in a busy week so far. Yesterday morning a private run-off of "Flaming Youth" was given at the Strand theatre and certain parts were ordered eliminated. The film as doctored will be permitted to continue through its advertised run of the week.

Last night they visited the Lowell Opera House and witnessed the second performance of "The Demi-Virgin," attraction of the stock players. They evidently found the most salacious thing about this play was its title for no suggestion or demands were made upon the management at the close of the review.

The commission has been active in its close supervision of the silent and spoken drama here and their regulations have always met with implicit and immediate obedience. In the cases of both the picture and play reviewed this week the censors in truth probably found that the advertising on both, printed and spoken, was perhaps more subtle and suggestive than the plays warranted.

WASHABLE SILKS

Striped, plaid and checked silks, washable, are used for the new blouses with mannish cut and pleated bosoms.

G. O. P. LEADER MUST STAND TRIAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—John L. Phillips, Republican state chairman of Georgia, and nine others indicted in connection with the sale of surplus lumber from army cantonments, must stand trial in the supreme court of the district of Columbia held today in overruling demurrers to their indictments.

ADMINISTRATION FORCES OF MINERS WIN

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 30. (By the Associated Press)- Unofficial tabulations gave the administration forces of the United Mine Workers of America, a majority of 119 votes on the roll call of delegates to the biennial convention and retained to them the appointive posts of the organization. The unofficial vote was 2120 votes in favor of retaining the present section of the constitution which permits the president to appoint organizers and other officials, and 2001 against.

DISABLED VETERANS OF THE WORLD WAR

William C. Geary, commander of Lowell Chapter No. 5, last night announced the appointment of the following members of the Disabled American Veterans of the World war to serve as an executive committee for the ensuing year:

William C. Geary, chairman ex-officio, John Conlon, Ralph Dodge, George Garrous, John J. Gray and Harry F. O'Sullivan. The committee met in executive session at Memorial hall and voted to take immediate steps to secure permanent quarters downtown. An invitation was received offering Lowell vets the opportunity of participating in the radio program to be broadcast from Medford Hillside by the disabled veterans, later in the month.

The executive committee will make public its financial report for 1923 and its 1924 budget within a few days. A membership drive will be inaugurated at the next regular meeting of the council, which takes place next Tuesday night at Memorial hall.

BUTTONS USED

The use of buttons, preferably glass or pearl, as trimming for the separate blouse is a practice that appears to be growing.

COLDS

Break a Cold Right Up with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Refuse imitations of genuine "Phillips' Milk of Magnesia" the original Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years. Accept only the genuine "Phillips"

25 cent bottles, also larger size, contain directions and uses—any drug store. Adv.

CHALIFOUX'S

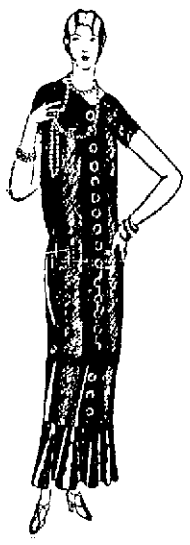
Thursday Morning Specials

FUR TRIMMED COATS Drastically Reduced

Most of these excellent values have Fur collars and cuffs. All are this season's styles in sizes 16 to 44. Regular values $18.50 to $27.50. For Thursday A. M.

$12.95 and $15.75

Chalifoux's Second Floor



A Very Remarkable Sale of DRESSES

Two hundred and fifty Canton Crepe, Charmeuse, Poiret Twill and Silk Dresses. The values are up to $18. For Thursday A. M.

$7.95 and $9.95

Chalifoux's Second Floor

Specials in the Grey Shops for Children

Second Floor Annex

Odd Lot of Children's Cashmere Hose, odd sizes and colors; reg. value 49c. Thursday A. M. Special 25c

Children's Colored Bloomers, in assorted patterns, sizes 2 to 6; reg. 39c value. Thursday A. M. Special 15c

Small Lot of Bathrobes; $1.49 value. Thursday Special 49c

Just a Few Slip-on Sweaters, buff and red only, sizes 24, 26, 28; reg. value 95c. Thursday A. M. Special 49c

Children's Blue and Grey Toques; reg. 49c value. Thursday A. M. Special 25c

Grocery Specials

Self-Service Department Basement

Gold Medal Flour, 24½ lbs., 95c bag

Heinz Baked Beans, large can ..... 20c can

Columbia River Salmon, 1 lb. can..... 20c can

Tudor Coffee, 1 lb. tin, 37c can

Heinz Vinegar, quart, 25c quart

Fancy Yellow Cling Peaches, large can ..... 20c can

Curtain Shop

Third Floor

$1.50 HAND PAINTED TINT CLOTH SHADES, size 36x72-in., mounted on good heavy rollers, assorted colors. Thursday A. M. Special only, each 75c

59c SASH CURTAINS, made of black scrim muslin. Thursday A. M. Special, pair..... 39c

59c CURTAIN MADRAS, 5 patterns, white or cream color, splendid quality. Thursday A. M. Special only, yard 39c

$1.49 CURTAINS, hemstitched, trimmed, with neat textile edge. Thursday A. M. Special $1.10

Leather Goods

Street Floor

Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, in Persian, calf and goat leathers; value up to $2. Thursday A. M. Special 59c

BOYS' SPECIALS

Street Floor Annex

Boys' Sheep Lined Coats, very warm and durable, sizes 8 to 18; $9.00 value. Thursday A. M. Special..... $6.45

Boys' Mittens and Gloves, male back, hide palm, lined; 75c value. Thursday A. M. Special 39c

Boys' Sweaters, wool and cotton, durable and warm, blue, brown and buff; 28 to 36 size. Thursday A. M. Special, $1.45

Boys' Toques, heavy jumbo knit; 75c value. Thursday A. M. Special 39c

Boys' Long Overcoats, sizes 11 to 20, grey and brown heathers, fancy plaid linings; value $13.50. Thursday A. M. Special $9.95

Little Boys' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 10, heavy winter overcoats, close fitting collar, plaid linings; $7.15 value. Thursday A. M. Special $5.75

CONTINUATION OF THE EXTRAORDINARY

Shoe Sale

Chalifoux's Basement

FOR WOMEN

One-Strap Pumps and Oxfords, Pat. Leather Pumps, Brown Oxfords $1

FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Oxfords, Patent One-Strap Pumps, Children's School Shoes and a lot of Boys' and Youths' Shoes..... $1.50

FOR MEN

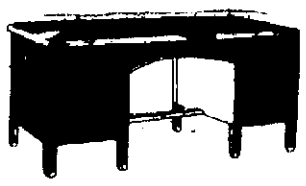
Tan and Black High Shoes, Patent Jazz Oxfords, Brown or Black Oxfords..... $2

Chalifoux's CORNER

Thursday A. M. SPECIALS

Chalifoux's CORNER

Does Your Office Look Prosperous?



Your office reveals to a striking degree the progressiveness of your concern. Shabby looking office furniture might be the one thing that would prevent you from making the impression you'd like to make on that big customer.

As you step into your office today, look it over—then come and let us estimate the cost of new, up-to-the-minute furniture.

We suggest "Standard" or "Orpin" Desks in selected quartered oak or mahogany, at $25 to $45 as popular prices. Comfortable swivel desk chairs $13.50 up and excellent straight-back chairs $7.

Adams & Co.
43-49 Market St

MR. DELANEY PROMOTED

Is Appointed Special Agent for Plant Department of Telephone Company

Thomas B. Delaney, of 32 West street was today appointed special agent for the plant department of the Lowell district of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company, which includes in addition to Lowell, the cities of Lawrence, Haverhill and Salem and numerous towns.

Mr. Delaney has been an employe of the telephone company for the past 24 years and has been in charge of switchboard trouble work locally for the past 12 years.

In his new position as special agent, Mr. Delaney will supervise plant work throughout the whole district with especial attention to switchboard installation and repair.

Mr. Delaney is a member of the present school committee and said today that his new work would not conflict with his serving upon the committee as he intends to have his office in Lowell and will be in this city the greater part of the time.

AUTO ACCIDENT REPORTED

H. J. Murray of Nashua, driver of a truck owned by the Nashua Baking Co., reported to the local police that while driving past Moore's mill in North Chelmsford at 6.10 this morning his machine struck a man named Oliver Wood of North Chelmsford. Mr. Wood refused medical attendance and apparently continued on his way to work.

BRAID TRIMMING

Wide bands of black and white braid are used to trim a spring coat of blue poiret twill.

ASPIRIN

Say "Bayer"—Genuine!

BAYER

Colds

Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians over twenty-three years for Colds and grippe misery. Handy boxes of 12 tablets cost only few cents at any drug store. Each package contains proven directions for Colds and tells how to prepare an Aspirin gargle for sore throat and tonsilitis. Adv.

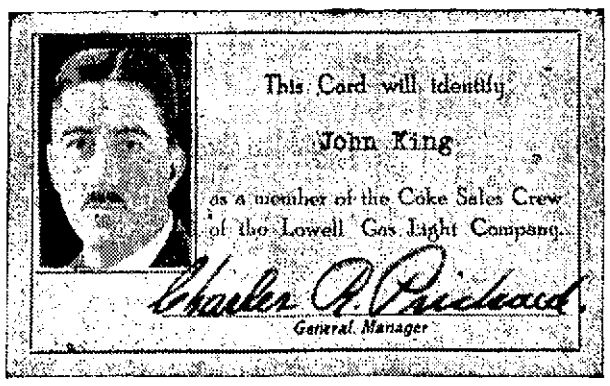
IF CONSTIPATED SICK, BILIOUS

Harmless Laxative for the Liver and Bowels

10¢

Feel fine! No griping or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cascarets." Sick Headache, Biliousness, Gases, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. For children, Women and children, 10c boxes, also 25 and 50c sizes, any drug store.—Adv.

You Should Know These Men!



We have ten men out selling Lowell Coke. These men are specialists in their line and they are making a house-to-house canvass of Lowell to acquaint people with the fact that

Lowell Coke

is the best solid fuel to burn—in stove, boiler or furnace.

Each man carries a card like the one reproduced in this advertisement. If you have any doubts as to the identity of anyone representing the Lowell Gas Light Company, ask him to show his card which is signed by the General Manager of the Company. These men offer you sixty bushels of Lowell Coke for $14.50 on the installment plan.

Lowell Gas Light Company

THE LOWELL SUN

JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor

SUN BUILDING, LOWELL, MASS.

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NEW CENTRAL BRIDGE

The following communication relative to the Central bridge is received:

Editor Sun.

Dear Sir: I think you have suggested one of the most pressing improvements necessary to the solution of our traffic problems in one of our principal thoroughfares, in pointing out the need of a wider bridge to connect Centralville with the city proper. The city has been spending money on the old bridge without making it any better, and I believe the time is at hand when the old structure will have to be either abandoned altogether or made much more solid than it is at present. It seems that the recent repairs are not likely to last long, and that we shall soon have on our hands the problem of again repairing the old bridge or else building a new one. I am certainly in favor of a new bridge and a bridge that will offer a roadway of at least 65 feet as you suggest.

Yours respectfully,
CENTRALVILLE.

It does seem that money will be wasted in further repairs of the old Central bridge that is now causing so much discussion. It is not creditable to our city to depend upon a bridge of that kind as a link in a state highway leading up the Merrimack Valley to New Hampshire.

When the bridge was built, we had no electric cars and no automobiles. It was sufficiently wide to meet all the needs of public travel at that time, but that was nearly half a century ago, and in the meantime, not only have come the electric cars, but the motor vehicles in vast numbers that require much more space on the highways than did the horse-drawn vehicles of past generations. Public convenience and necessity require a wider bridge and as Bridge street from the square to Amory street is 65 feet wide, the section of Bridge street from Amory to the end of the bridge should be widened to that extent and a new bridge with a roadway not less than 65 feet wide constructed. Thereafter instead of blushing for the inadequacy of our main bridge across the river, we should have reason to feel proud of its dimensions and ample facilities to meet the needs of public traffic in and out of our city. Springfield has recently opened a magnificent new bridge and when we start to build a new bridge across the Concord we might as well build a solid and durable bridge across the Merrimack.

RANKLING OIL SCANDALS

The oil scandal is furnishing the chief sensation of the hour for the newspapers throughout the country. Already plans are made to prosecute the cases against former Secretary Fall and Secretary Denby of the navy department, without whose signature the leases could not have been executed. Congress has also passed a resolution demanding the cancellation of the lease; but President Coolidge is moving cautiously in the matter and is engaging eminent counsel not connected with the department of justice to institute civil or criminal prosecutions as may be deemed necessary to clear up the entire transactions.

Secretary Denby of the navy department and Attorney General Daugherty seem to be most seriously implicated in the responsibility for the execution of the leases for Tea Pot Dome oil lands to the Sinclair company and of the California Oil Reserves to Mr. Doheny. Suspicion rests particularly on the attorney general whose duty it was to see that the leases were strictly legal and that in each case the interests of the government were adequately protected. It is alleged, however, that Mr. Daugherty was the close friend of ex-Secretary Fall of the interior department and as a result, was not inclined to question any favors that might be conferred upon his friend.

The effort of Hiram Johnson to place the blame for the oil leases upon President Coolidge is not likely to be taken seriously. As vice president, Mr. Coolidge naturally did not feel that it was his duty to make a personal investigation of the conditions upon which the leases were granted. Everything seemed to be fair and above board at that particular time and it was not until later that the real nature of the transactions became known to the public. If Hiram Johnson had known what he was doing when he voted to give the leases to oil companies, he certainly would not have waited to this date to accuse President Coolidge of the Teapot Dome scandal. The senator appeared willing to accept the leases when they were granted but now he votes with the democrats to have the president blamed for doing what Johnson himself approved. The president is not responsible for the crime of Fall and Denby. It was the duty of the senate committee on public lands to have made the investigation before the leases were granted. If any blame is to be attached to the senate for the oil leases, Senator Johnson should share it with the senators who were members of the committee on public lands.

Democrats will endeavor to make the country believe that the oil leases were made by Harding and Coolidge and that the republican party is responsible for the transactions. But the democrats will have a difficult task to convince the people that the republican party should be blamed for the crime of Fall and Denby.

OUR TAX BURDENS

In all this excitement of federal taxes [illegible] paying taxes [illegible] personal taxes [illegible] A government official [illegible] exploiting figures.

In 1923 the national government [illegible] found 4261 million dollars of [illegible] No. 622 [illegible] states are for state purposes, [illegible] towns and local districts. [illegible] those accident collectors [illegible] dollars in taxes or to add a third [illegible] their national taxes.

The tax burden [illegible] people in some where around [illegible] a half billion dollars [illegible] all taxes, national, state, county and municipal, and so on.

This is about $70 a year for every man, woman and child. For a family of five, it averages $350 a year.

The actual burden is much greater, for in passing taxes on to consumers there is usually an excessive tax to play safe.

While nearly seven and a half billion dollars of taxes are collected in a year from the American people, government spending is much larger. The deficit is taken care of by bond issue. So the future is increasingly mortgaged and the burden of debt, on which interest must be paid, grows steadily. An eventual day of reckoning is inevitable.

The national debt is decreasing. But the total debts of states, counties and municipalities is increasing. Put the brakes on Uncle Sam, fine! But put them also on some of 48 children, the states, and their many family relatives.

VERY PATHETIC CASE

Most pathetic was the suicide of Miss Margaret E. Harding, daughter of Governor Harding of the Federal Reserve bank of Boston and former head of the federal reserve board. A young girl of 23, she had devoted her time to high society life and dancing and mid-nightly became addicted to the use of cigarets which doubtless helped to hasten her physical breakdown. After spending her time in Boston, New York and Washington in the highest circles of society life, she found the pace too fast for her, and as a result, her health gave way; and on the verge of a nervous collapse after a round of gayety in Washington, she came home practically a nervous and physical wreck, and true to her self-willed and self-directed modes of life, she ended it all with a revolver.

She had rejected the wise counsel of an indulgent father, who begged her to devote less time to society life and take charge of his household in Boston, for such pleasures were valued not like other mothers, and self-willed young woman, she sought the highlights of society and it might be said of her that the moth she perished in the flame.

Her [illegible] a warning to other young [illegible] heed the counsel of their parents and [illegible] and give themselves up to the quest of social pleasures to the exclusion of those domestic duties which are seldom found in the personal failings of the dazzling ballroom not in the addict of the cigaret habit, not to speak of [illegible] and even more serious dangers [illegible] the resistless whirl of high [illegible].

TROUBLES OF A MAYOR

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

SEEN AND HEARD

Hoping somebody else to live is work while.

Some motorists seem to enjoy splashing mud on pedestrians.

Sometimes we all feel as if we would like to take jobbies for a little while.

Was Playing Safe

Jack said no love for his wife's little pet dog, but one day when it mysteriously disappeared he offered $100 for its return. "But I thought," said his friend, "you hated the dog like poison?" "So I did," replied Jack. "I could not bear it." "Then why on earth did you offer such a big reward for its return?" "I'd give a dozen for my wife." "Well, that may be just $100 is sure to bring the dog back." "I think not," answered Jack with a knowing wink, "unless anyone saw me bury it in the garden."

Thief of Time

In a case where the charge was the theft of a watch the evidence was conclusive. As the jury retired the judge observed that he would be glad to help in adjusting any difficulties that might present themselves to the minds of the jury. Eleven jurors filed out of the box. The one who remained were an expression of extreme perplexity, observing his hesitation the judge said "Would you like to ask me a question?" "Yes, Your Honor," replied the juror eagerly. "I'd be very glad, if you'd tell me whether the prisoner really stole the watch!"

Never Insulted

A young man set out for the first time to get orders in the west of England. At Plymouth he met an old commercial traveler, who asked him how he had got on. "Badly," he replied. "I was insulted at every place I visited." "That's strange," said the other. "I have been on the road 10 years; I have had my samples flung into the street; I have been taken by the scruff of the neck and pitched downstairs; I don't deny that I have been rolled in the gutter, but insulted never."

Minstrel Show Plot

An English visitor was taken by an American friend to see one of our minstrel shows. It was the first he had ever attended. He sat through it with a slightly puzzled expression. After the performance they adjourned to a restaurant and the American ventured to ask what he thought of the show. "Did you like it, old man?" The Englishman came to time bravely. "Oh, yes. It was a jolly show, a jolly show altogether. Quite so. But I couldn't keep up with the plot for the life of me."

"The Psalm of Life"

Tell me not, in mournful numbers,
Life is but an empty dream!
For the soul is dead that slumbers,
And things are not what they seem.

Life is real! Life is earnest!
And the grave is not its goal!
Dust thou art, to dust returnest,
Was not spoken of the soul.

Not enjoyment, and not sorrow,
Is our destined end or way;
But to act, that each tomorrow
Find us farther than today.

Art is long and Time is fleeting,
And our hearts, though stout and brave,
Still, like muffled drums, are beating
Funeral marches to the grave.

In the world's broad field of battle
In the bivouac of Life,
Be not like dumb, driven cattle!
Be a hero in the strife!

Trust no future, howe'er pleasant!
Let the dead past bury its dead!
Act—act in the living present!
Heart within, and God o'erhead!

Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And, departing leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time,

Footprints, that perhaps another,
Sailing o'er life's solemn main,
A forlorn and shipwrecked brother,
Seeing, shall take heart again.

Let us, then, be up and doing
With a heart for any fate;
Still achieving, still pursuing,
Learn to labor and to wait.

—Henry W. Longfellow.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

A boy scout signing himself F. M. Blake submits the following communication to this column: "Do you think it would be a good idea to have boy scouts place old auto tires at Lowell's dangerous river and canal spots? Auto tires have served as life-savers in numerous cases, especially where they are victims have been concerned."

Scout Blake's idea is a good one. Discarded tires, I understand, have not much financial value and could be put to such use as suggested by this right-thinking scout.

The boy scout subject reminds me that Traffic Officer Daniel Brennan officially assumes his duties as scout master of St. Patrick's troop next Thursday. The boys of this troop should consider themselves very fortunate in securing a man of officer Brennan's calibre. He knows just the kind of work they like, what games they want and what scout movements appeal the greatest appeal. Although one of the town's busy officers in the city, Scout Brennan is found to take his place in the front of the line.

[illegible] of the Lowell winter carnival were optimistic a few days ago when the ground was covered with snow, but yesterday's warm spell and rain dissipated the white plaster on the ground. We thought at the time it would be a wonderful opportunity for the city to work out a winter program on a big scale. But now it looks as if we will have to be satisfied with an eight [illegible]

Lowell is not the only city in a quandary in the matter of winter carnivals, however. The city of Manchester, which [illegible] has been [illegible] for a short time and had [illegible] snow was on the ground [illegible] the snow fell [illegible] the carnival [illegible] at Lebanon, [illegible]

[illegible] Henry Ford of the Ford [illegible] announced a new policy [illegible] be regarded as [illegible] on the street, [illegible] which [illegible] in the Lowell Opera House. It's not a bad idea of the [illegible] No [illegible] from [illegible] friend and relative will be passed over the footlights as in former years, either in the [illegible] Mr. Ford [illegible] for any [illegible]

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INTERESTING LECTURES IN KITSON HALL

A [illegible] lecture by Miss Katherine H[illegible] of Boston, on "Budget Making" and [illegible] B. Carney, on "Savings Banks in Their Relation to Life Insurance," was given last evening at the Y. W. C. A. in Kitson hall.

The main essentials in making a budget were told by Miss Head, who [illegible] that even with non-salaried [illegible] the total can be very nearly [illegible]. The rules for dividing the [illegible] by percentage are here given. First, a certain amount should be allowed for savings, second, bills for clothing and other irregular expenses should be [illegible] for the year and allowed for. The remainder would be divided into [illegible] parts for regular weekly and monthly bills, operating expenses like light and heat, not over one-fifth of the income for rent, for bills incidental to the type of home life desired in regard to food and furnishings, and an allowance for unlooked for expenses. This budget must be revised every year, consulting the spendings of the year before to change the amounts that can be allowed.

The gist of the talk by Mr. Carney was, that by the payment of a certain sum of money to a savings bank at regular intervals over a period of 10 years, a life insurance policy could be secured valued at $1000. The amount of payment varies according to the age and physical condition of the applicant from about $7.35 to $13.35 monthly. At the end of ten years sufficient money will have been deposited to take care of the premium in case it is desired to continue the policy, and the total that will be paid on the death of the person holding the policy will amount to over $1800.

Provision is also made for the payment of a policy of smaller amount, in case the policy holder fails to make regular deposits at the end of a year or two. The reason these policies can be secured so cheaply is that the expenses of printing are paid by the state and no paid solicitors are used to sell the idea to people.

WILL GIVE SECOND AND FINAL PRESENTATION

With the announcement by the Mathews that their sensationally successful musical extravaganza, the "Follies and Frolics of 1924," will be given a second and final presentation in the Auditorium next Tuesday evening, expressions of satisfaction are pouring in upon the committee from all sides. The lavish praise bestowed on the production by the press and the limited number of patrons who succeeded in gaining admission to last Friday evening's performance resulted in a very insistent demand for a "repeat," not only from the hundreds who were turned away because of the inadequate seating facilities, but from a host of others whose interest was piqued by their neighbors' enthusiastic description of the show, and who would like an opportunity to attend and judge for themselves.

The fact that the merits of the show were not overdrawn in the advance notices was a source of wonder to the large audience and counted heavily in influencing its favorable verdict, as shown by the sustained applause throughout the performance. The ends acquitted themselves splendidly, proving one of the funniest collections of comedians in the memory of the public. The dancing sketches and their singing leads were recorded a reception that gave eloquent testimony of the excellence of their selection. The soloists rendered ballads that displayed their ability and talent in a conclusive manner and the vaudeville sketches were of a quality far beyond expectations. The costuming, lighting effects and stage setting lent the finishing touch to an uncommonly fine amateur production.

In the repeat the same program will be maintained, and the utmost care used to present each and every number in the identical style in which it was given on last Friday evening. The stage setting, lighting and costuming will be reproduced exactly as at the first performance. Rehearsals will be held, beginning Thursday evening, in order that the committee in charge may assure itself that the entire company will be in first-class shape for next Tuesday night's effort. Tickets will be placed in the hands of the same stores which assisted in the distribution for the initial presentation. The demand that has been felt thus far indicates that the call for accommodations will be fully as brisk as before, so prospective patrons are advised to make their reservations without delay.

[illegible] the players. The reason for this is given as being unfair action to all members of the cast, and an elimination of unnecessary expense to the parents.

Just a word of warning to motorists might be worth while at this particular time. The roads through the country districts are now as open as those in the city and motorists will do well to use their chains when travelling outside the city limits.

The new Cherry Lane playhouse is heralded in New York city's smallest theatre. It [illegible] in the chain of little theatres over the country, which [illegible] done so much to promote better [illegible] and more [illegible] and original [illegible] into the legitimate [illegible] Provincetown, Players and [illegible] Eugene O'Neill from dark obscurity to his present position as [illegible] American playwright. The [illegible] Little Theatre movement [illegible] national [illegible] bar. [illegible] come.

When an [illegible] writer sends a movie scenario [illegible] producers, there's only one in 10,000 of its being [illegible].

The Author [illegible] makes the interesting [illegible] in the law of chance. [illegible] only four scenarios were [illegible] out of 12,000 sent to producers.

Maybe it's [illegible] the best, after all. Out of 10,000, [illegible] more than one would [illegible] producing.

Writers' [illegible] to overproduction. A[illegible] put it, too much [illegible] dead men.

CURRENT EVENTS LECTURES

Mrs. Clara [illegible] will give a course of [illegible] on current events on Tuesday [illegible] beginning February [illegible] continuing through March 18 [illegible] Middlesex Club. Tickets are [illegible] for the course and can be secured from Mrs. Brad[illegible] Pillsbury, [illegible] North street. Telephone 653 [illegible] lectures are given for the benefit of the Lowell Guild.

ANNIVERSARY RALLY

Malden Pastor Principal Speaker at Meeting of Lowell C. E. Union

Rev. Henry H. Crane, of Malden, last night addressed the 43rd anniversary rally of the Lowell Christian Endeavor union, held at First Baptist church. Merton C. Flemings, president, was toastmaster at the banquet which preceded the speaking. George F. Flewelling, county president, extended the greetings and congratulations of the county body.

Miss Helen Mansfield, former president of the Lowell union, spoke on "Christian Endeavor Today." "Retrospect and Prospect" was the title of a short address by the recording secretary of the state body, Henry D. Grimes. Rev. Harold F. Carr, pastor of Pawtucket Congregational church, closed the post prandial exercises with a brief talk on "Anniversaries."

The evening's exercises were opened with a praise service led by A. Edwin Wells of Lowell. The word of welcome was extended by Miss Gladys Paige as president of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church. Vice President Nathaniel Trull of the Lowell Union made the response. The church choir, directed by Warren Reid, rendered a selection. Wilfred Kershaw acted as organist.

The roll-call of societies was read by Miss Elsie E. Perron, union secretary. Rev. George F. Sturtevant of the First Congregational church led the devotional exercises. At the close of the speaking by Dr. Crane which followed benediction was pronounced by Rev. Edward Babcock, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist church.

The attendance banner which is awarded monthly was given the society of St. Paul's M. E. church which had an attendance record of 82 per cent. The union of the First Presbyterian church was awarded honorable mention.

LADIES ENTERTAINED AT K. OF C. CLUB ROOMS

One of the most successful ladies' nights conducted by Lowell Council, 72, Knights of Columbus, was held in the hall of the clubrooms last evening and attracted close to 1000 young people, who spent an enjoyable evening of general dancing and entertainment. Previous to the formal opening of festivities, the comfortable quarters were thrown open to inspection, and many who had not been afforded the opportunity to visit the rooms on past occasions, expressed admiration for the homelike atmosphere.

General dancing, with Broderick's orchestra, was enjoyed until a late hour, a brief intermission caused at 10.30, during which refreshments were served by the following committemen: Edward Callahan, Arthur Rogers, John Mann, George Sullivan, Cornelius Connolly, Daniel Owens, John J. Moloney, John J. McArdle, Frank Connally and Charles McCarthy.

To Edward F. Slattery, Jr., lecturer of the council, goes the credit for the success of this first ladies' night of the season. Mr. Slattery promises others of a similar nature in the future.

"Babe" Ruth Comes Tonight

This evening, George "Babe" Ruth will be the guest of the Knights. He will appear in person at the Dutton street rooms at the conclusion of his engagement at the reunion and banquet of St. Patrick's school alumni association, which should mean about 9 o'clock. The following committee will have charge of the reception:

"Bob" Hart, Eddie Cawley, John J. Flannery, Michael Mahoney, T. A. D. Sullivan, Daniel F. Brennan, Michael Moloney, Joseph M. Duffy, John F. Roche, Jr., and Charles Burns.

AUTOMOBILE WAS STOLEN FROM GARAGE

The Dodge coupe of Elizabeth F. Lamere of 281 East Merrimack street was stolen from the garage of John F. Tansey, 222 East Merrimack street last Monday night and has not been recovered.

The machine was for sale and on Monday a prospective purchaser of the car, decided to purchase it and put down a deposit of $50. That night, the garage was entered and the machine taken. Capt. David Petrie investigated the matter and found that the $50 check, signed in the name of Charles D. Wright, 111 Essex street, Lawrence, was worthless.

The stolen machine bore the registration number 255988.

PLAN CONCERT ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY

The committee in charge of the charity concert and dance under the auspices of the United Irish Societies of Lowell on the Memorial Auditorium and Liberty hall on March 17, met in Y.M.C.I. hall last night and listened to encouraging reports on the proposed affair.

Entertainment de luxe is in store for patrons of the event, according to reports of the committee, prominent talent having been procured. Irish dancers will be one of the many features in the instrumental line.

A cake sale will be held at Gagnon's next Friday to raise funds for the completion of preliminary arrangements. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening of next week.

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Oh, my!
I scream with delight when a cream pie I see,
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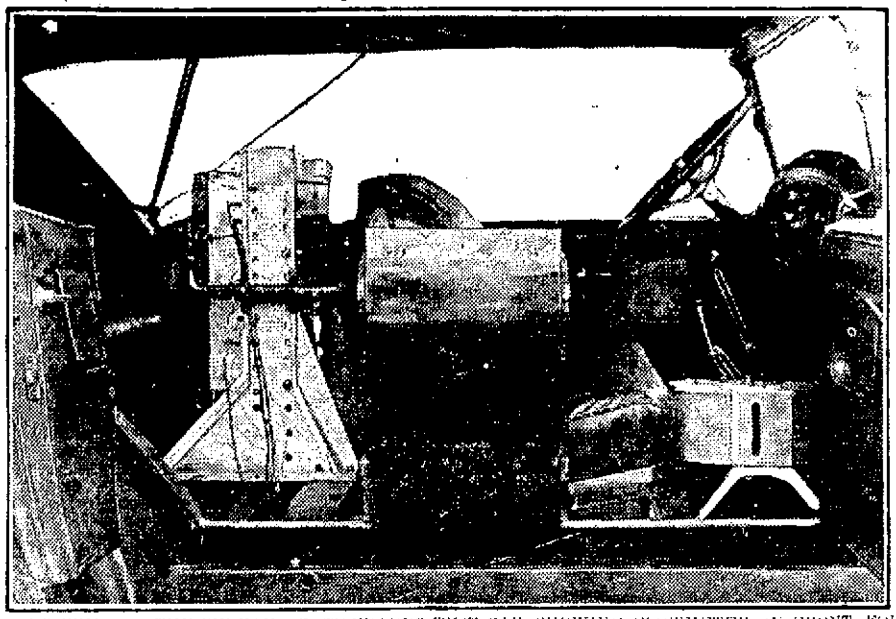

INTERIOR OF THE BUREAU OF STANDARDS TEST CAR, SHOWING FLOWMETER, IN FRONT, FOR RECORDING GAS CONSUMPTION, AND MULTIPLE RECORDER, IN REAR, FOR REGISTERING GENERAL CAR PERFORMANCE.

UNCLE SAM, ENGINEER

May Be Depended on for Some Major Improvements in 1924

BY HARRY B. HUNT
N.E.A. Service Writer

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Lower gas consumption, more dependable braking, easier riding.

To these three factors, of prime importance in automobile development, the United States Bureau of Standards may be expected to make important contributions during 1924.

With new equipment that has been developed by experts of the bureau's automotive division, studies of engine and brake performance and of riding qualities can be carried on to a nicety never before possible.

From the standpoint of safety, the formulation of standardized braking requirements is perhaps the most important one before the automotive industry, experts of the bureau agree. With the development of four-wheel brakes and their ability to "set the car up on the radiator cap" by short stops, there is danger that drivers will demand unreasonable short stopping distances.

In recommending adoption of brake regulations, the guiding factor should be the effectiveness of brakes under ordinary conditions, they hold.

Special Instrument

To determine the relative efficiency of various braking systems, brake materials, etc., Dr. W. F. James, chief of the automotive division of the bureau, has devised a "decelerometer," which measures the showing effect, or deceleration, of brakes under all conditions. Tests now being carried on include studies not only of braking systems and materials but also of the comparative braking efficiency of balloon and high-pressure tires.

The desirability of brake equalizers, which would give the same grip to brakes on both sides, also is being studied. From these studies, it is planned to work out a set of reasonable brake regulations which may contribute materially in reducing auto accidents.

In developing easier riding qualities in cars, particular attention is being given both the spring suspension and tire equipment. Tests with the new low-pressure "balloon" tires are being conducted to determine their relative rolling resistance, their effect on braking and steering and general car performance. If these tests show their easy-riding qualities are not offset by other conditions, the general design of spring suspension can be altered to provide a much more smooth-riding car than any now on the market.

Gasoline Tests

With the decline in prices of gasoline, there has been a decrease in interest as to methods for reducing gas consumption, bureau authorities state. But this condition is recognized as temporary, since the available supplies of gas are certain to make greater economies in fuel important within the next few years.

Decided economies can be effected, bureau scientists declare, through improvements in carburetor, manifold and transmission designs and by better lubrication. The American's unwillingness to shift gears, his demand for a car which will take him up all hills in high and an engine which is always ready for maximum performance, wastes hundreds of millions of gallons of gas annually. Carburetors are adjusted to give good performance under the worst conditions, with the result that a richer mixture than necessary is supplied under normal conditions.

Lubrication

Just now the bureau is working out, for the motor transport corps of the army, recommendations with respect to lubrication and lubricating medium. Much of the overhaul expense of an auto is due to faulty lubrication.

The bureau's present study covers the question of what oil characteristics influence the rate at which carbon is formed. It is hoped simple tests may be standardized by which the autoist can estimate to what extent carbon formation is back of his engine troubles.

On this point it has been established that the rate of carbon formation depends to a large extent on the temperature of the metal parts with which the oil comes in contact. There is a point at which carbon forms rapidly. If the temperatures at these points are too high or too low for carbonization, little carbon is formed.

To assist the bureau's studies of auto performance, bureau scientist put them through tests not unlike that of a physician who takes your temperature, records your pulse, sounds your lungs and otherwise gets a full record of your anatomy and its performance before making a diagnosis.

With a decelerometer under the front seat, to gauge brake efficiency, a flowmeter camera at the driver's feet, picturing every drop of gas that goes to the carburetor, an air gauge on the top and a multiple recorder in the tonneau to register the temperatures of air, gas and water and of all bearings, these Bureau of Standards boys can tell you to a T just how much life the old bus has and what sort of new glands are needed to fill her full of pep.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN SALVATION ARMY

Important changes affecting the northern New England division of the Salvation army (Lowell branch headquarters included) are announced.

Brigadier Thomas E. Hughes, for the past three years in high chief command of this district and one of the best known Salvation army officers in New England, has been promoted from Portland, Me. headquarters to command of the southern Pennsylvania, southern New Jersey and Delaware division. He leaves Portland today for Philadelphia, his new headquarters station.

Since his command in this division, Brigadier Hughes, who has been a regular inspection visitor to Lowell Salvation army barracks and always warmly welcomed by local army attaches, has supervised the erection of $350,000 worth of new buildings in Lowell, Nashua, Saco, Biddeford, Lewiston, Lawrence, Bath, Augusta, Berlin, Laconia and Franklin.

Lowell's splendid army institution on Appleton street today is a sample monument, as it were, of Brigadier Hughes' remarkable energy and directorship. He personally supervised the erection of the army's new home here, attended to many details involving cost and expenditures, and paved the way for campaign working equipment. No Salvation Army barracks in the country is more admirably fitted for important Christian service work accomplished 365 days in the year than the Appleton street edifice dedicated to the cause of common humanity.

Commandant Charles Abbott, who has returned to Lowell with his bride after a short honeymoon, told The Sun that Brigadier Hughes is beloved by every member of the organization on two continents. No leader of the army cause has performed more valiant and efficient executive work almost single-handed than the doughty leader who is now transferred from this district to larger fields.

"I was delighted to hear of the brigadier's promotion," said Commandant Abbott today. "He enters one of the largest fields in the United States, but you can depend upon it he will be just the man for the position. He is a man of rare executive ability, kindly heart, steady nerves and powerful leadership. His energy is untiring. His three years' work with the northern division of the Salvation Army, which included the erection of many new district headquarters in various cities including Lowell, has never been equalled.

"We army workers in the organized field of Christian endeavors are proud of him and wish him well in his transfer to one of the largest Salvation Army territorial districts in the United States."

In Portland, the brigadier increased in three years the registered army recruits from 31 members to 72, the present enlistment in that city. The division now has a membership of 1102, compared to 765 when he went to Portland.

Previous to going to Portland, Brigadier Hughes led army commands or participated in campaign programs in Boston, Hartford, Buffalo and other cities in the northern and eastern sections of the United States. He is a native of Canada, about 52 years of age, and entered the Salvation Army in 1901 in Utica, N. Y.

Commandant Abbott informs The *Sun that Brigadier Hughes*, who paid his last and farewell visit to Lowell army headquarters on Jan. 16, to tender his official good-by to local workers and also participate in the Abbott wedding reception festivities, is to be succeeded at Portland headquarters by Staff Captain Fred Osmond of Buffalo, N. Y.

Capt. Osmond has been campaigning in numerous large cities, including Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Boston, Cleveland and, more recently, Youngstown, O., where the army has been doing excellent work among the great army of steel-workers," said Commandant Abbott.

"The captain has in addition to his many other services, covered splendidly a difficult staff assignment—that of keeping in touch with service work in New England prisons and reformatories. He has also assisted many army campaigns to their great benefit."

Staff Captain Osmond is planning to make his first visit to Lowell for a happy "week end," probably some time next month. Commandant Abbott and his ready cohorts of men and women army workers will do the honors.

AT THOMAS TALBOT MEMORIAL HALL

"Making Daddy Behave" is the title of the farcical three-act comedy-drama to be presented by the Altissima Dramatic club of North Billerica at the Thomas Talbot Memorial hall Thursday evening. A capable cast has the play well in hand and its work is bound to meet with the unqualified approval of the most critical audience. Tickets have been selling rapidly but there are still good seats available. The cast of characters follows:

Burgess Lukens, "daddy." ..... Edward Gannon
John St. Clair, his lawyer ..... Howard Conway
Byron Cleveland, his secretary ..... Roland Conway
David Standing, a stranger ..... Myles Finnegan
Alberts, the butler ..... Edward Barton
Wardlaw, the chauffeur ..... John Maxwell
Grandma, his mother-in-law ..... Mary A. McCarthy
Becky, Marian, His Daughters ..... Mary Collins, Katherine A. Condon
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We will sell Men's First Quality $1.25 Rubbers at **87c**	We will sell Children's Honest to Goodness First Grade Vici Kid with Hand Turned Soles, $1.50 Shoes, with good laces....... **79c**	We will sell Boys' $2.50 All Leather Sturdy School Shoes, some with copper tips, at.... **$1.59**
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Some families through several generations have teeth which are called soft or feeble. This condition seems to be the result of poor or deficient nutrition. The children of these undernourished parents require very careful attention to prevent the development of caries. These poorly developed teeth are often seen in the mouths of children suffering from scorbutic or rachitic disease and also in those suffering from congenital syphilis.

Do your best for your children's teeth. Give them a hygienic mouth, if you value their success in life. Remember that proper diet is important in teeth forming and development. It has been pointed out by leading dentists that the teeth that are the least called upon for proper mastication are often the worst in structure. Use [illegible] or coarse foods and have strong, healthy teeth.

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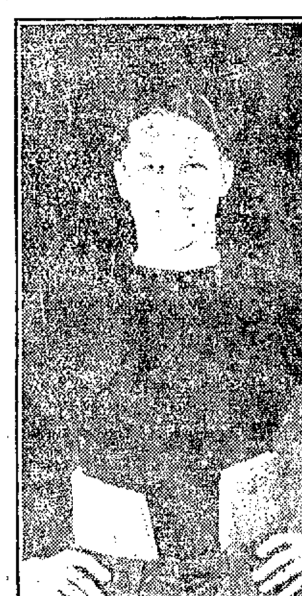
Garrison Finish Brings Victory to Cadets in Third Game of Series

O. M. I. CADETS COME FROM BEHIND AND DEFEAT Y M. C. I. 14 TO 12

Whirlwind Rally in Final Period Converts Apparent Defeat Into Glorious Victory—Dan O'Connor Scores Winning Basket With Few Minutes to Go

In a great uphill fight, one of the most thrilling seen in local athletics this season, the O.M.I. Cadets fought their way to victory over the Y.M.C.I. in the third game of the big basket ball series in Crescent rink last night. A brilliant rally led by Capt. Dan O'Connor, in which every member of the Cadet outfit contributed his share, converted what appeared like certain defeat into a notable victory by the score of 14 to 12. The series now stands two to one in favor of the Cadets with the fourth game scheduled for next Monday night.

After being completely outplayed in the first period when the Institute boys launched a terrific attack, the Cadets pulled themselves together in the second session and scored two baskets, while the Y.M.C.I. failed to register. Then in the third and final stanza, with the score standing 12 to 7 against them, the soldier team let loose a burst of dazzling speed that completely changed the picture.



CAPT. DAN O'CONNOR, O.M.I. Cadet Star.

Winning Goal by O'Connor

Red Kenney opened the Cadet counter offensive in the final chapter with a spectacular shot from the centre of the rink. Peck O'Connor followed with one from a difficult angle. A third foul gave the Cadets a point, creating a 12 to 12 tie. A few moments later, with but a couple of minutes to go, Dan O'Connor came through with the shot that broke the tie and sent the Cadets into the lead for the first time in the game. Y.M.C.I. playesr tried hard to nullify it but their efforts were in vain and the big horn sounded without further scoring.

It was a hundinger of a game all the way, with Y.M.C.I. jumping into the lead at the outset, only to be forced to yield as the game advanced. The Institute presented a much stronger front than in the last game with Packy Winn and Jim Wing in the lineup. The latter came down from Milford, N. H., as a substitute for Arthur Ryan, who found it impossible to play. Wing starred in the early stages of play, shooting three baskets in the first period. In the latter stages when Red Kenney was assigned to oppose him, he failed to score. Winn played D. O'Connor and he held the peppery Cadet leader to two baskets. Johnny Randall opposed Jim McKinstrey and he prevented the Textile star from scoring. In addition Randall hopped a gem in the getaway session. Buckey Lew's playing of Kenney in the opening stanza and his effective blocking throughout was a feature of the game. Lew met with an injury in the second period and while he was forced to leave the floor, he gamely returned, but the mishap slowed him up considerably. Waldron was in fine form in the early part of the game and shot two into the basket.

For the Cadets, Dan O'Connor and Kenney were the star performers, Kenney negotiating three baskets and Dan a brace. Peck O'Connor was the other Cadet scorer. But it was the collective endeavors of the Cadets in the closing stages rather than the individual efforts of the players that shaped victory's course their way. All fitted into the combination and played an important part in the hurricane rally.

Each Team Scored Six Baskets

Each team scored the same number of baskets from the floor—six, with the Cadets picking up two points on fouls. The Institute failed to gain any points, only those they secured from baskets as but one foul was called on the Cadets. In the opening game of the series the teams scored the same number of baskets with the Institute profiting and winning the game on fouls.

At the outset it looked like a walkaway for the Institute and their rooters, who were in the majority, had their innings. Waldron was the first to score. Wing then signalized his first appearance in Lowell with one from the corner. Randall followed suit. A brace by Wing made it 10 to 0. Kenney at this point broke the ice for the Cadets. Waldron then poked one in. Just before the period ended the Cadets picked up a point on fouls. Score: Y.M.C.I. 12, Cadets 3.

When the teams came on for the second period Kenney was assigned to play Wing, with Peck O'Connor going over to jump centre against Lew. The change worked well for the Cadets. Kenney soon scored one and then Dan O'Connor registered his first bullseye of the game, making the count 12 to 7.

The Y.M.C.I. apparently too confident, played with indifference and as a result failed to score in the session.

When the third period opened the count stood 12 to 7 against the Cadets and the outlook was far from promising. But the soldier boys with their backs to the wall opened up a determined and bewildering attack and never let up until they overcame their opponents. Kenney came through with one from the centre of the hall that was the most spectacular shot of the game. Peck O'Connor followed with a dandy. Play became rather strenuous and a third foul on the Y.M.C.I. gave the Cadets a point and the score was tied. The Cadets followers roared with delight.

As but a few moments remained, it appeared like the game would go into overtime. Both sides fought desperately and the supporters of both yelled and cheered vigorously. Finally Dan O'Connor pulled the ball out of a scrimmage and tossed the leather into the basket for a winning goal. Shortly after the period ended and a great game, with one of the most thrilling garrison finishes seen here in many a day, passed into history. The lineup, score and summary:

Y.M.C.I.	CADETS
Wing lf	rb J. O'Connor
Waldron rf	lb Twohey
Lew c	c Kenney
Randall lb	rf McKinstrey
Winn rb	lf D. O'Connor

FIRST PERIOD

Won by	Caged by	Score
Y.M.C.I.	Waldron	2— 0
Y.M.C.I.	Wing	4— 0
Y.M.C.I.	Randall	6— 0
Y.M.C.I.	Wing	8— 0
Y.M.C.I.	Wing	10— 0
Cadets	Kenney	10— 2
Y.M.C.I.	Waldron	12 — 2
Cadets	Foul	12— 3
	SECOND PERIOD	
Cadets	Kenney	12 — 5
Cadets	D. O'Connor	12— 7
	THIRD FLOOR	
Cadets	J. O'Connor	12—11
Cadets	Foul	12—12
Cadets	D. O'Connor	12 14

Summary: Score, Cadets 14, Y.M.C.I. 12. Goals, By D. O'Connor 2, J. O'Connor, Kenney 3, Wing 3, Waldron 2, Randall. Fouls: By Cadets 1, by Y.M.C.I. 6. Time: Three periods of 15 minutes. Referee, O'Brien.

Preliminary Game

In the preliminary game at Crescent rink last night the Junior Holy Name quintet of the Immaculate Conception church defeated the Y.M.C.I. Seconds by the score of 6 to 0.

The lineups:

JUNIOR H. N. — Y.M.C.I. SECONDS

Hansbery, Riley rf ... lf Perry, Leary
Desmond, Tyrea lf ... rg Sullivan, Joyce
McAnespie c ... c Jarrett, Donnelly
Conroy, Hennessy rf ... lf Gibbons
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MR. BILL VALENTINO

BY JOE WILLIAMS

Mr. William Tilden II is headed for the movies. Whether the recent edict barring tennis players from writing pieces for the daily journals had anything to do with his decision is unknown.

All we know is that Bill, beg pardon, William Tilden II, is determined to star in the films. The tennis champion is not without experience or skill as an entertainer. Only lately he played with the famous Providence players in Booth Tarkington's "Clarence," portraying the name role.

A cloak of mystery has been thrown about Tilden's screen future.

Will he go in for humor of the light, delicate, exquisite type as practiced, say, by Mr. Charles Chaplin, of the junior-size mustache and the loose, free-hanging pantaloons?

Or will he lay siege to the romantic standing of Valentino, the mud-massage beauty?

Or will the loftier and more magnificent forms of tragedy prove to be the champion's forte? A great Hamlet he would make—

"To be or not to be; that is the question:
Whether it is nobler in the mind to suffer
The slings and arrows of an outraged fortune,
Or to take arms against a sea of troubles,
And by opposing end them? To die—

To die? Well, we don't wish to appear hard or unsympathetic, but if Mr. Tilden were to die or do something, it would at least break the monopoly which now exists in tennis, and then maybe Bill Johnston or one of the other boys might have a chance.

Twin-Sixes of High School Track Team

DAVID LATHAM——ERNEST LATHAM

When twins are so much alike that neither knows whether he is himself or his brother, that is the superlative of twinship.

We would not venture to say that such a condition actually exists in relation to Dave and Ernest Latham, the Twin-Sixes of this year's high school track team, but it is a cinch that no one outside of the family knows one from the other and even those within the Latham family circle get mixed up at times.

The only way Coach George Haggerty can classify their identities is to look at Dave and if he winks his right eye, it's Ernest.

The Latham twins are going to have a lot to say this year about every 600-yard event run off in connection with the season's dual track meets. It is hard enough to beat one of them, but to beat the pair is something else again. In appearance, height and running action they are synchroneous and just to show how closely they adhere to their twinship, at a recent practice session they ran two dead heats over the 600-yard route. Can you beat that?

Both boys are capable of hanging up new record figures in their favorite event and Coach Haggerty will not be surprised to see them as joint record holders before the 1924 season wanes. They are juniors, which means they will be campaigning next year. "Why not make them twin captains?

BOTH CLAIM VICTORY

Managers of Fruzetti and Norton Can See Only Victory Tomorrow Night

Letters were received by The Sun today from the managers of Tansey Norton and Jimmy Fruzetti and both predicted victory for their boys in tomorrow night's Moody club main event.

While they both can't win, a glance at the statements of the rival pilots will show that both think they can. Under the rules of the state boxing commission there must be a winner and a loser in all bouts. No draws are allowed. Hence regardless of how close the battling may be a decision to one must be announced.

Take Your Pick

Jack Burns, manager of Fruzetti writes as follows: "While I still think Fruzetti won over Norton the last time they met and that the decision against him was a rank injustice, I will say that in Thursday night's bout all that will be necessary is a referee who can count ten. Jimmy is determined to stop Norton this time and thus eliminate any possibility of a repetition of the previous decision.

"I am pleased," continues Burns, "to hear the boxing commission has taken cognizance of the unsatisfactory decisions handed out in Lowell recently and as a result has announced a new lineup of judges for the coming bout. That's good news. But the way Fruzetti is boxing I still feel confident the services of the referee will be all that is necessary tomorrow night."

Jackie Williams, pilot for Tanesey Norton, says in part:

"Tell the Lowell fans Norton is all set to add another victory to his ever growing list. He has trained diligently for Thursday night's bout and I'll be surprised if he fails to score a knockout.

"Now, while I realize not all the fans felt Norton was entitled to the decision in the last bout, I can safely say that the majority with whom I talked after the bout were satisfied. Of course I know Norton is not very popular in some sections of Lowell, due to his quick knockout of Martin Flaherty, his victory over Boyle, and his defeat of Johnny Avila, but in other parts of the town where a boxer is given credit for his ability, regardless of whom he may defeat, my boy enjoys much favor. One thing about Norton that always pleases the neutral fan, however, is that in victory or defeat he always puts up a good battle."

COLLEGE STAR JOINS GIANTS

Paul Florence, Sensational Georgetown Athlete Was Sought by 13 Other Clubs

High Regard for McGraw's Ability as Manager and Tutor of Young Players Deciding Factor

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Paul Florence, sensational catcher and all-around athlete of Georgetown university, was sought by 13 other major league clubs before he signed for 1924 with the New York Giants.

High regard for John J. McGraw's ability as a manager and tutor of young players, led Florence to accept the offer of the National league champions, it is said.

"I wanted to get with a manager from whom I could learn," Florence is quoted as saying. "I watched Mr. McGraw on the field. I liked his tactics. I think that from what I have heard from big league stars, McGraw has no peer when it comes to teaching recruits the game. That is why I turned down the 13 other scouts."

Called by Clark Griffith of the Washington senators, a "second Babe Ruth" Florence starred as a basketball, baseball and football player at Georgetown, captaining teams in each of these branches of sport. He had one year of study but decided to report to the Giants this spring, declaring that he is gambling with baseball as against a preference for law, as did Frankie Frisch.

Florence was born in Chicago 22 years ago. He is over six feet tall and weighs 195 pounds.

ADMITS HE'S GOOD

Asked to centre his training efforts on the 1000-metre event in the coming Olympiad, Joie Ray, colorful Chicago runner, answered:

"Sure, why not? That will be a cinch for me."

Mr. Joie Ray is one of those rare souls who believe implicitly in themselves.

Mr. Ray is not quite so arrogant or cocky as his remarks might lead hearers to suspect, but one thing he does not lack in any detail is confidence.

FIRPO IN SYNDICATE

Group of Wealthy Men to Build Fight Stadium to Seat 125,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Luis Firpo will have a double financial interest in his fight with Harry Wills next July.

Besides his $250,000 guarantee, with a privilege of 25 per cent. of the net receipts, he also will have an interest in the special sunken stadium, which is to be constructed by a newly formed syndicate with which the Argentine has cast his lot.

A group of wealthy men, whose identities have not been revealed, are back of the syndicate. Options already are held on half dozen sites in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, the most favorable to be decided upon later.

Constructed of concrete, the stadium will have a seating capacity of 125,000. Plans already have been drawn and approved. The cost is expected to be less than would be required to construct a similar structure of wood above ground. In addition, dangers from collapse or fire, will be eliminated.

LOWELL AND TOWNSEND HIGH TONIGHT

When Lowell high lines up against Townsend high in the basketball arena this evening, Louris, star centre, will not be in the lineup. Due to illness, Louris has been out of recent practices and will not be in condition to play against Townsend. Flaherty will probably jump centre in his place, with Capt. O'Sullivan and Georges, forwards, and Sutherland and Welch, guards. The game will start at 7.30 o'clock.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR LOWELL HIGH

The final date on the baseball schedule for Lowell high school next spring has been secured, and the schedule was released by James Conway, faculty manager of athletics, this morning. Commencing April 19, the nine will play every Wednesday and Saturday until June 11. The opposing teams this year include representatives from the Boston School league, the Suburban league and other strong aggregations in Massachusetts that will keep the local players on their toes every minute in order to win a majority of the games. The second Lawrence game this year has been placed in last position on the schedule, so that in case it is necessary to play a third and decisive game in the series there will be no let down in training before it is played. The strongest team on the schedule is Somerville high, champions of the Suburban league for 1923. With only three letter men to start the season Coach Liston and Captain Daley will have a big job on their hands looking over the new material and welding it into first class shape. The schedule is as follows:

Saturday, April 19—Townsend at Lowell.
Wednesday, April 23—Somerville at Somerville.
Saturday, April 26—Concord, N. H. at Lowell.
Wednesday, April 30—Boston English at Lowell.
Saturday, May 3—Fitchburg at Fitchburg.
Wednesday, May 7—Lawrence at Lowell.
Saturday, May 10—Nashua at Nashua.
Wednesday, May 14—Haverhill at Lowell.
Saturday, May 17—Concord, N. H. at Concord.
Wednesday, May 21—Haverhill at Haverhill.
Saturday, May 24—Fitchburg at Lowell.
Saturday, May 31—Manchester at Manchester.
Wednesday, June 4—Nashua at Lowell.
Saturday, June 7—Manchester at Lowell.
Wednesday, June 11—Lawrence at Lawrence.

HOPPE TO PLAY HOREMANS

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Willie Hoppe, who successfully defended his world's 18.2 balk line billiard title against Walker Cochran, and young Jake Schaefer this season, has accepted a challenge of Edouard Horemans, of Belgium, for a third challenge match this year, it became known here today. Hoppe has deposited his $500 forfeit to bind the match. A conference will be arranged between Hoppe and Horemans to decide on terms and dates of the match.

Billy Evans SAYS

A year ago turf experts were singing the praises of Jockey Johnny Corcoran. The young man was the sensation of the New Orleans meet. His uncanny ability in putting over winners at long prices made him the most talked about youngster of the year. Followers of the turf played Corcoran rather than his mount and as a rule were well repaid. Johnny Corcoran is still riding, every now and then he comes home in front, but no longer does he win with the almost monotonous regularity that featured his career as an apprentice boy.

Jockey Ivan Parke is the young man who is hogging the turf spotlight at present. Bringing home 173 winners out of 718 mounts won for him the riding championship of 1923.

What does the coming year hold forth for Parke? Will he fade out as have many others after losing their apprentice allowance of five pounds? It is my recollection that Parke won his first race March 9, 1923. Jockeys after winning their first race are given an allowance of five pounds on every horse they ride for a year. Parke is due to graduate from the apprentice class on March 9, 1924. From that date on he will be put to the big test. It will be up to him to demonstrate whether he is a real rider, or whether the five-pound allowance was the advantage that enabled him to bring home so many winners last year.

Despite Parke's remarkable success which gained for him the riding honors of 1923, and the fact that he has continued his great work at New Orleans this year, many of the turf experts remain skeptical as to his future.

One thing that augurs much for Parke's continued success is the fact that his brilliant riding hasn't gone to his head. He is the same unassuming youngster he was the day he won his first race. Parke admits that no victory scored since has given him quite the thrill of putting over the first winner of his career. Confidence is one of his greatest assets. He is very frank to say that failure to win is a decided disappointment, regardless of the class of his mount. His great love of victory causes him to put forth his best efforts at all times and those who wager on the race feel certain they will always get a run for their money with Parke up.

Ability to rate pace, and know his own horse, as well as the other entries in the race, are his two strong points. Never has Parke been accused of giving his mount a bad ride.

Parke hails from Delco, Idaho. Brought up on a ranch, it is only natural that he soon learned the art of riding. As a kid his greatest delight was following cowboys on a roundup. He rode his first winner at Tia Juana. It is a rather interesting coincidence that Earl Sande and the Fator brothers, three of the country's best jockeys, should hail from Parke's section of the country, Wyoming claiming them. Like Parke, they learned to ride following the cowboys.

While Parke may be slightly handicapped by the loss of his five-pound allowance, when he becomes a full-fledged jockey, it seems safe to predict that he will continue his winning ways and earn the right to be classed as one of the turf's greatest riders.

STAR BOXER THROUGH

Harold Smith, a year ago considered a coming champion in the bantamweight class, is now through. Smith hurt his knee in a bout with Danny Lee. The injury refused to respond to treatment and Smith had to give up the game. He had prospects of making $50,000 in the ring when hurt.

VETERANS ARE SLIPPING

The two veteran star catchers of the American league, Ray Schalk and Steve O'Neill, are both slipping a bit, if their work of last summer is a criterion.

The Nut Cracker

by Joe Williams

Because his decision was unpopular a fight referee in Chicago was shot. This beats arguing all to pieces, and is much more conclusive.

A Michigan college boy named Short is to play in the big leagues next summer and we are wondering what the boys will call him for short.

A convention of wrestlers is to be held to draw up uniform rules. May we not suggest that they assemble at Great Falls?

The route over which the cross-country runners will go in the Olympic games is to be kept secret. Now if they'll only keep the race secret, too!

Some cabaret ruffian gave Charlie Chaplin a black eye the other night. It doesn't take much to give the movies a black eye these days.

We are surprised to read that Farmer Lodge has promised to kayo Firpo in four rounds. The farmer never impressed us as being promising.

Of course all boxing champions have great footwork. That's how they sidestep dangerous opponents.

Having had no previous experience as a messenger boy, it is not surprising that Jack Barry declined to sign as Clarke Griffith's manager.

CHURCH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Three church league basketball games were played in the Y.M.C.A. gym last night with the following results: St. Paul's 26, Centralville Methodist, 5; First Baptist, 35, North Tewksbury 1, St. John's 2, Fifth Street Baptist 0 (by forfeit).

The standing:

	Won	Lost	Pts.
First Baptist	4	0	1,000
First Congregation	4	0	1,000
St. John's	4	0	1,000
Chelmsford St. Baptist	3	1	.750
Calvary Baptist	2	2	.500
Pawtucket Cong.	2	2	.500
St. Paul's	1	2	.333
Eliot Union	1	3	.250
Fifth St. Baptist	1	3	.250
No. Tewksbury Baptist	1	3	.250
Centralville Meth.	0	4	.000
Grace Universalist	0	4	.000

THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

At the commencement of this week the Bartlett school team led the Junior high school league with a perfect record of five games won and none lost. Coach Joe Duffy has gotten together a speedy little team who show all the class of a regular high school varsity, and the Morey school, coached by Jim Roane is not far behind, with the only spot on the record for them being the defeat suffered at the hands of the Bartlett school. The standing of the league at present is as follows:

	Won	Lost
Bartlett	5	0
Chas. W. Morey	4	1
Edson	3	3
Butler	2	3
Varnum	2	3
Moody	0	6

BASKETBALL NOTES

The Franklin A.C. opened its basketball season last Saturday night by defeating the fast Eagles of Manchester, N. H., by the score of 13 to 10. Capt. Roy Foster, with eleven baskets to his credit, starred for the local quintet. McMahon caged nine, McInnis five and Moriarty, three. Courtney played a whale of a game as substitutes for Alfano, who was out with injuries.

THIS BIRD CAN HIT

Paul Berlenbach, young New York middleweight, is said to be one of the hardest hitters in the game. Berlenbach is soon to box Young Stribling in a six-round bout at Madison Square Garden. Berlenbach has won 20 consecutive fights by knockout.

KNICKERSUIT

The two-piece knickersuit of English worsted in tan, russet or brown is conspicuous at country clubs and winter resorts.

BASEBALL EFFICIENCY AIDS HOCKEY PLAYERS

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 30.—Baseball efficiency in the two men who so far have tended goal for the American Olympic hockey team has proved to be of great value in stopping the peculiarly twisting shots of the European forwards.

Both Alphonse A. LaCroix and John A. Langley, the Bostonians, are proficient in smothering hot grounders on the diamond, and as the European forward generally is unable to raise the puck waist-high, 90 per cent of the shots generally is unable to raise the puck waist-high, 90 per cent of the shots which the Belgians took at the American cage were of the twisting, hopping variety. Langley and LaCroix dropped their sticks and made fast pickups, in the execution of which their baseball training stood them in good stead.

"This seems like playing third base on the Fourth of July if it weren't for the weather," said LaCroix after the game.

INDUSTRIAL SOCCER LEAGUE

The Industrial Soccer league is minus a playing unit with the withdrawal of the General Electric team of Lynn. Business depression at the plant is given as the reason. Considerable speculation is going the rounds now as to the status of other teams in the league, as the officials may deprive them of points won against the G.E.'s. Abbot Worsteds stand to lose two points if such action be taken, while Fore River, the league leaders, will lose four points.

MOODY CLUB

Crescent Rink, Thursday, 8.15

10 Rounds

Jimmy Fruzetti, Brockton, vs. Tansey Norton, Roxbury

8 Rounds

Jimmy Reed, Brockton, vs. Leo Desrosiers, Nashua

COLLEGE AND CLUB STARS MATCH SPEED

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The pick of college and club stars will match speed and brawn tonight in the concluding features of the two-night track and field carnival of the Millrose A.A. at Madison Square Garden, which has attracted a record-breaking entry of more than 1000 performers from many parts of the country.

Outstanding on tonight's card will be the attempt of Joie Ray, crack Chicago distance star, to capture both the two-thirds of a mile and mile and a half runs. Ray faces an imposing field in each of these events, in an attempt to redeem his recent disappointing performances here.

Other features include a series of sprints in which Loren Murchison, national champion, "Boots" Lever and Bill McAllister, the "flying cop," are entered; the high jump with H. M. Osborne, new record holder, Leroy Brown and Richmond Bond as competitors; and the three mile run, in which an array of distance cracks are entered.

A new world's interscholastic one mile relay record by Mercersburg academy and victories by the United States in two out of the three international contests featured last night's program.

$25,000 AMERICAN DERBY AT KALAMAZOO

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Jan. 30.—A $25,000 American Derby for 2.08 pacers said to be the largest stake ever offered in a harness event in this country, will be a feature of the five day grand circuit meeting that starts here July 21. The race is sponsored by P. O. Reno, Chicago horseman.

Simultaneously with his announcement of awarding the Derby to Kalamazoo, Reno turned over the 27 entries for the event he already has received. The closing date is fixed as Feb. 18, and 40 pacers are expected to be listed before the books close.

MISS COLLETT EQUALS COURSE RECORD

BELLAIRE HEIGHTS, Fla., Jan. 30.—Playing brilliant golf, Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., former national champion, equalled the course record yesterday when she went around in 7[illegible] and defeated Mrs. Caleb F. Fox of Huntingdon Valley, 5 and 4 in the women's annual January tournament.

Her elderly opponent went around [illegible] but Miss Collett took a birdie three on the first hole and maintained the upper hand throughout.

Mrs. George Morse, Rutland, Vt., defeated Miss Marjorie Lake, Hartford, Conn., three and two, and Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, Merion Cricket club, was a victor over Mrs. G. K. Morrow, of Ponsook, by 5 and 3. Mrs. Hurd previously handed out defeats to Mrs. C. R. Hollingsworth, Greenburg, Pa., and Mrs. G. H. Stetson of Huntingdon Valley.

HOME INTERESTS BUY NEWARK CLUB

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The Newark International league Baseball club passes into the hands of home interests today when a Newark syndicate headed by Michael McTighe will take over the franchise from the former Baltimore owners at a purchase price of [illegible].

John Conway Toole, president of the International league, announced last night that all phases of the transaction had been agreed upon between the purchasers and the sellers. Between Mr. Toole and the amount [illegible] would be [illegible] as early as possible today.

MENOSKY WAS POPULAR

American league fans will regret the passing of Mike Menosky. The former Boston Red Sox outfielder was just eccentric enough to be interesting and he had a big following over the circuit.

TO NAME COACH FOR CENTRE COLLEGE

DANVILLE, Ky., Jan. 30.—Task of selecting a successor for "Uncle Charley" Moran, head coach of the Prayino [illegible] has been placed in the hands of the board of trustees of Centre college. A meeting of the trustees to [illegible] recommendation submitted by the athletic board of control of the college has been called for next [illegible].

"Bo" McMillin, former star of the Colonels at [illegible] coach at Centenary college, Shreveport, La., came here last week [illegible] conference with athletic [illegible] and President R. A. Montgomery [illegible]. McMillin expected [illegible] here until after the trustees [illegible]. He has had strong support from the student body and supporters of the Centre team for the post of head coach since Moran resigned to go to Bucknell college.

Cagey Cagers Fool 'Em All in Western Tilts

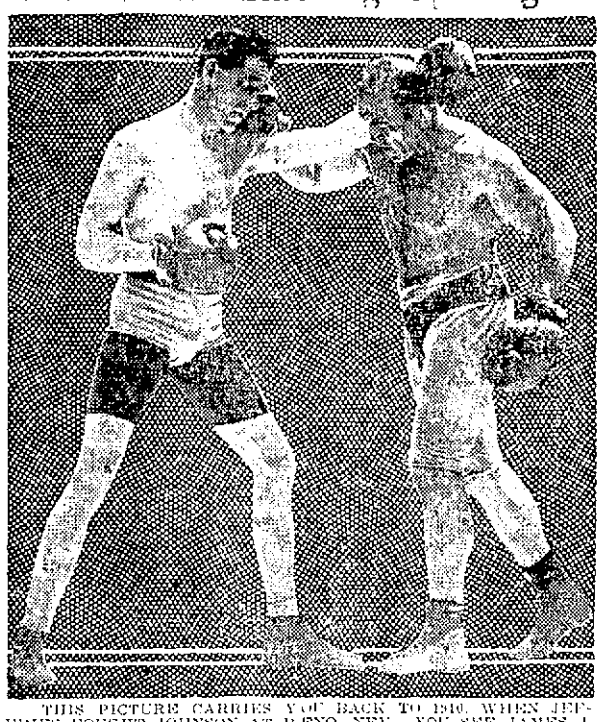
LEFT TO RIGHT: TRAUTMAN, LOVELEY, SPEICHLER, THREE OUTSTANDING CREIGHTON STARS.

What Notre Dame is to football, Creighton University of Omaha is to basketball if the claims of western critics are to be believed.

Two Big Ten quintets, one of them titleholder in the season of 1922-23, have already bowed in defeat before the Omaha quintet and predictions are numerous and confident that the Blue and White cagers will skim through the remainder of the schedule, including Nebraska, South Dakota, Notre Dame, Aggies, Marquette and other strong teams, without a defeat.

The Blue's decisive defeat of Iowa, Big Ten champs, at Omaha recently, score 36 to 13, stamped the Creightonites as one of the most formidable teams in the country. Indiana has also taken the count at the hands of the Creighton crew.

The Art of "Smoking Up" Fights



THIS PICTURE CARRIES YOU BACK TO 1910, WHEN JEFFRIES FOUGHT JOHNSON AT RENO, NEV. YOU SEE JAMES J. CORBETT, A FORMER CHAMPION, WORKING OUT WITH JEFFRIES. GENTLEMAN JIM WAS ONE OF THE SIDESHOW FEATURES USED TO STIMULATE THE PUBLIC INTEREST IN THE FIGHT.

BY JOE WILLIAMS

You read some days ago where Jim Jeffries had been signed for $75,000 to teach Luis Firpo how to use his left hand.

Later the story was denied. It was all news to Firpo. "Not out of my money will Senor Jeffries get $75,000," exclaimed the extremely frugal Mr. Firpo. Jeffries expressed a willingness to accept the assignment at the terms quoted but confessed no one had consulted him.

The insiders were not surprised that the idea failed to materialize. They sensed in the beginning that it was the bunk. All major listic attractions must perforce be subjected to a certain "smoking-up" process. And the best way to "smoke-up" a return Dempsey-Firpo fight is to emphasize the strengthening of the senor's left.

Corbett Smoked It Up

Firpo's right speaks for itself. His left, though, is as useless as a sponge in a sun bath. If he is to perform with greater credit against Dempsey when they meet again he must develop at least elementary skill with his left. Whether Jeffries, as a teacher, would do him any good is a question. Jeff's presence in the training camp, however, would stir the fans' imagination.

Jim Corbett was the instrument through which interest was "smoked up" to a fever heat in Jeffries' fight against Jack Johnson. Tex Rickard, the promoter, had Corbett come out to Reno to teach Jeffries foot work, and speed him up. Corbett was all in himself at the time and the boilermaker, awkward as he was, easily outstepped him. However, the mere fact that Corbett was in the old champion's camp was an added touch and heightened the excitement.

If Firpo had Jeffries' left hand he would be an odds-on favorite to beat Dempsey next summer. No heavyweight ever had a better left hand than the Californian. It wasn't naturally his own, either. Tommy Ryan, the great little middleweight, taught him how to shoot the left to the body and the head.

Ryan Won for Jeff

Through Ryan's teachings Jeff acquired the skill with which he knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons and won the title. Jeff hit Fitz on the jaw with a left in the second round and knocked him flat. Fitz managed to get back on his feet but was all at sea and Jeff finally brought him down for keeps in the eleventh.

This suggests that Ryan would make a better teacher for Firpo than the docile, uninspired Jeffries—a better teacher, no doubt, but not a more vivid theatrical poster.

And it so happens that the theatrical posters are what the promoters want.

BILL TO RETIRE MATRONS

Lowell Representatives Support Bill to Retire City Matrons on Half Pay

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Representatives Charles H. Slowey, Thomas J. Corbett and Owen J. Brennan of Lowell appeared before the legislative committee on Social Welfare yesterday in support of the bill, filed by the former, to authorize the city of Lowell to retire certain matrons on half pay.

Rep. Slowey explained that the bill applies to about ten women employed by the city as cleaners, and is in line with the general policy of the commonwealth to permit cities and towns to reward faithful employees who grow old in the public service.

There was no opposition and the committee took the matter under advisement.

HOYT.

BLAMES MAGNATES FOR SOCIALISM

LONDON, Jan. 30.—John Hodge, the laborite, who was minister of labor and pensions in the coalition government, told a gathering of iron and steel magnates last evening that they were the men who were preparing the ground for socialism, of which most of them were afraid.

"The great combines which are being formed in this and other countries" he said, "are simply an evolutionary process, and as soon as the steel, iron and tin plate works are all in one big combine, it will be easy to socialize it."

CROWN THEATRE

TODAY AND THURSDAY—NEW SHOW

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TOM MEIGHAN

—In—

Peter Kyne Story

Stirring Sea Picture

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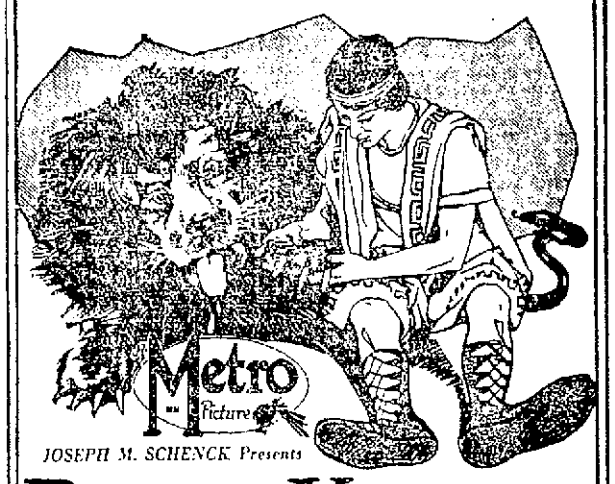

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BOWLING

O'DONNELL'S PETS WIN

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J. McCleary	77	82	84	243
Sid Laycock	90	78	86	254
J. Furello	82	76	94	252
E. Pentebone	95	72	97	264
T. O'Donnell	83	96	81	260
Totals	427	404	442	1273

LOWELL FELT

C. Searles	77	66	80	223
H. Arnold	82	72	106	260
Sullivan	80	95	85	260
J. Parent	93	82	78	253
Roy Wilbur	84	77	79	240
Totals	416	392	427	1236

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO LEAGUE

LOADERS

Maguire	93	97	91	281
Pearson	83	101	74	268
McKillop	74	88	85	247
Quirk	94	81	95	270
O'Neil	99	96	75	270
Totals	443	462	420	1326

RADIATORS

Smith	100	83	94	277
Lebrun	72	86	83	241
Burrows	81	92	90	263
King	76	75	89	240
Byrne	87	87	72	246
Totals	416	423	428	1267

SHOT SHELL

Lynch	105	91	105	301
Canton	76	83	76	235
Spillane	89	82	81	243
Brooks	93	74	85	252
O'Brien	89	92	114	292
Totals	440	420	464	1324

MACHINE

McKelvey	82	82	104	268
Riley	78	72	72	222
Keefe	75	92	76	243
Sweeney	91	91	93	275
Reynolds	77	96	81	254
Totals	403	433	426	1262

NO. FOUR

Shannon	81	85	76	242
J. J. Leonard	79	89	82	250
Connors	90	93	89	272
Ford	88	98	83	269
O'Dea	96	93	92	281
Totals	434	458	422	1314

NO. TWO

J. Leonard	89	90	89	268
Carney	61	58	63	182
Devereux	87	84	93	264
Kittredge	83	102	83	268
Regan	85	83	99	267
Totals	405	426	418	1249

NO. THREE

Flemings	83	94	86	263
Daly	86	79	84	249
Harvey	88	89	74	251
Lynch	113	102	76	291
Sheffield	91	94	82	267
Totals	461	458	402	1321

NO. ONE

Cunningham	77	60	69	206
McGarrhan	89	79	93	261
Donahue	74	68	87	229
Ryan	87	78	94	259
Barrett	86	89	93	268
Totals	413	374	436	1223

KITSON LEAGUE

TEAM NO. 2

M. Molloy	67	81	82	230
Houlard	76	93	92	261
Bangston	87	76	87	249
P. Molloy	92	97	102	291
W. Welcome	81	80	86	247
Totals	403	426	449	1278

TEAM NO. 3

Paquette	77	85	89	251
Lockwood	99	92	86	277
Furlong	92	85	93	270
Mallo	85	87	74	246
Conway	79	87	92	258
Totals	432	436	434	1302

TEAM FIVE

Molloy	71	72	74	217
Labrie	94	83	102	279
Connors	80	101	76	257
Lyons	75	85	93	253
Lapierre	89	96	87	272
Totals	409	437	432	1278

TEAM SIX

Buston	78	79	82	239
Kelley	85	79	81	245
Gregoire	112	92	81	283
Casper	86	89	84	259
Sub	71	72	74	217
Totals	432	411	405	1248

TEAM NO. 1

J. Vaughan	72	86	75	233
Shaw	81	83	85	249
Shea	72	75	80	227
Everson	86	92	104	282
Totals	311	336	344	991

TEAM NO. 4

Kenney	80	89	87	256
Hickey	73	76	79	228
McDermott	90	102	96	288
W. Welcome	61	76	57	194
Totals	306	343	319	968

WATERHEAD LEAGUE

Following are the scores of games in the Waterhead Mill league Monday night on the Gorham street alleys:

NO. ONE

Pearson	92	88	79	257
Sheehan	85	90	126	306
Hawkins	74	88	76	238
Burns	91	99	92	282
Spencer	93	86	102	281
Totals	435	451	474	1360

NO. SIX

McDonough	92	110	96	298
Bax	90	71	78	239
Sub	74	86	76	238
Gibbons	88	93	96	277
Houston	95	84	83	262
Totals	439	444	429	1312

NO. FIVE

Sub	86	82	79	247
Fuller	82	113	110	305
Stoffer	78	82	100	260
Garnett	80	90	87	257
Duggan	92	92	84	268
Totals	418	459	460	1337

NO. TWO

Sub	78	82	84	244
McDavitt	94	78	81	253
Holmes	93	81	79	253
Buchanan	88	94	82	264
Waterhouse	86	96	84	266
Totals	439	481	410	1280

NO. THREE

Fairbrother	87	97	101	285
Ward	89	117	89	295
Valiski	91	96	81	268
Redlund	81	93	79	253
Nichols	102	90	110	302
Totals	450	493	460	1403

NO. FOUR

McGrade	92	84	85	261
Muldoon	79	94	90	263
Barber	106	93	98	297
Sayball	79	91	100	273
Ellis	100	84	99	283
Totals	456	449	472	1377

BENOIT'S HUSTLERS WIN

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Gillis	88	79	99	266
J. Heald	110	90	110	310
Bonalt	104	138	96	338
Duffy	81	95	87	263
Marsh	86	115	89	290
Totals	469	515	481	1465

UNION MARKET

Cassidy	82	84	76	242
Mulcahy	101	122	89	312
Kennedy	78	83	98	279
McGovern	103	79	98	280
Dean	93	99	84	276
Totals	457	467	445	1389

CLAN GRANT

CAMERON HIGHLANDERS

A. Ritchie	109	86	102	297
N. Robinson	89	90	74	269
John Adams	83	83	92	258
W. Brown	97	89	93	279
Jas. Adams	99	102	102	303
Totals	477	459	463	1399

CLAN GRANTS

Sub	84	70	90	244
J. Shields	89	101	88	278
J. Brady	83	80	89	252
Sub	83	83	74	240
J. Fraser	102	91	92	285
Totals	452	428	423	1303

THISTLE 5

Middleton	70	81	90	241
Burns	83	73	94	260
Edgar	114	89	84	287
Ritchie	109	88	81	278
Thompson	95	105	106	306
Totals	476	434	465	1375

BLACK WATCH

McGowan	81	97	99	287
Smith	78	84	85	242
Williamson	86	99	108	293
Campbell	85	78	92	255
McKenzie	90	96	94	280
Totals	420	454	478	1357

BAY STATE LEAGUE

POLOS

Bovine	108	79	86	265
Casey	85	110	87	275
Nugent	93	105	92	290
Harrigan	82	86	90	258
Walsh	77	105	91	273
Totals	442	485	446	1364

BOLIVIAS

Bean	71	104	73	248
Maxwell	81	80	88	249
Higgins	93	86	79	258
Laffey	91	95	97	283
Leach	84	98	137	319
Totals	420	463	474	1357

VELOURS

Keohane	85	114	92	291
Taylor	96	86	90	272
Shanks	104	91	89	284
Totals	285	291	271	847

FANCIES

Daly	78	80	89	247
Ripley	74	81	93	248
Corr	82	80	83	245
Totals	234	241	265	740

DISCOVERY OF SMALL CACHE OF RIFLES

HAVANA, Cuba, Jan. 30.—The discovery of a small cache of rifles and ammunition by the rural guard on a farm near Santa Clara, capital of Santa Clara province, has been reported to the government officials, who are investigating. Despitches to local newspapers say that about 30 rifles, 5000 rounds of ammunition and a quantity of dynamite were found. Dr. Oscar Soto, secretary-general of the veterans and patriots association, immediately issued a statement asserting that organization had nothing to do with the munitions.

MALTREATED IN SEPARATIST JAIL

BERLIN, Jan. 30. A telegram from Speyer, the Bavarian palatinate, says a bank official named Grieser was so severely maltreated while in a separatist jail that he died of concussion of the brain.

DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMEN MEET

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Democratic members of the house met in caucus today to approve minority selections to the new veterans' committee.

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ATTACK ON PACIFISTS

Theodore Roosevelt Says His Brother's Death in War Due to Unpreparedness

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Quentin Roosevelt died in the war because the airplane in which he crashed to death was a poor one, and therefore his death was due to unpreparedness, Theodore Roosevelt, his brother, said before the Kansas society, last night in a preparedness speech. He declared:

"I myself have led green troops to the front line, and have led by own seasoned men, and I know the difference was in the casualties.

Mr. Roosevelt said the doctrines of pacifists and preachers of disarmament made him so mad he could "jump up and down and scream."

"One argument put forward by the pacifists is that having a large army and navy induces other nations to attack you," he said. "That's just flapdoodle. The six footer with a chest like a barrel and big fists coming down the street he's not the fellow that is picked on for a fight, is he?"

NEW PROGRESSIVE PARTY

Representatives of 22 States Meet in Convention at Omaha, Neb.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 30.—The people's progressive party of which Roy M. Harrop of Omaha is chairman and which claims representation in 22 states, will meet in convention here today for the purpose of selecting nominees for president and vice president and formulating a platform. Nominees will be named by a mass convention, according to Mr. Harrop who called the meeting.

Robert Pointer of Dearborn, Mich., said by Mr. Harrop to be the personal representative of Henry Ford, is expected to attend.

Features predicted by Mr. Harrop to be embraced in the platform of the party include repeal of the federal reserve law, a soldiers' bonus, direct election of president and vice president, a referendum on war before it can be declared, abolition of child labor by a constitutional amendment and direct government loans to farmers and to industry at an interest rate not to exceed 3 per cent.

NOVEL DEBATE BY DRACUT GRANGE

The year's program for Dracut grange activities is announced today as follows:

February 18, patriotic entertainment. March 3, literary night. March 17, Worthy Pomona's night. April 7, first and second degrees. April 21, third and fourth degrees. May 19, educational and third degree. June 16, children's night. July 21, social. August 18, social. September 8, neighbors' night. September 15, reception to new members and new officials. October 6, first and second degrees. October 20, third and fourth degrees. November 3, "Old Home" night. November 17, annual election of officers. December 1, debate.

At the next meeting of the grange, February 4, there will be a debate on the subject, "Resolved, That men who are bachelors from choice be compelled to contribute to the support of those who are made from necessity."

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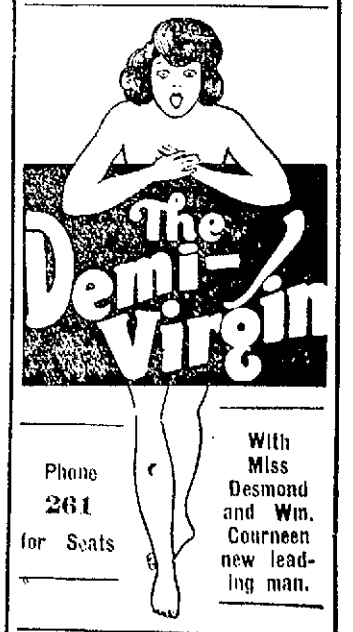

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SPECIAL MATINEE FRIDAY

WHY HE ASKED SCHOOL BOARD FOR HEARING

Attorney John M. O'Donoghue, representing William W. Dennett principal of the Morey school in his mandamus action to force the school committee to reinstate him as master of the Greenhalge evening school, said today that the hearing he requested of the board, which was denied last night, simply was for the reason of ascertaining whether the board as now constituted felt the same regarding the case as last year's committee.

"As I understand it," said Mr. O'Donoghue today, "the committee denied my request last night for the reason that matter was in the process of litigation, but expressed a willingness to give me the hearing after the litigation was cleared up. A hearing after the courts have heard the case would be futile and would answer no purpose whatsoever. All I wanted was to ascertain whether this year's committee felt the same way toward the case as did the committee of a year ago, and certainly there would be no reason why such a hearing should be given after the case has been discussed in the supreme court."

Mr. O'Donoghue added that he has nothing further to offer locally and will go ahead with the case on February 19, the date marked for hearing.

NO HITCH IN PLAN TO RECOGNIZE RUSSIA

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Daily Herald says this morning that no hitch whatsoever has developed in the government's preparations to recognize soviet Russia, that the matter has already been decided and that reports to the contrary deliberately misrepresent the ministry's intention.

Thus does the Laborite newspaper seek to allay what it describes as "a goo ddeal of impatience in the labor ranks about the impending recognition. It attributes the alleged wilful misstatements to the conservative and liberal papers, and expresses surprise that the labor people should believe the reports.

It also dubs as ridiculous, stories to the effect that a mission of investigation is going to Moscow prior to recognition, saying that nothing of the sort is intended.

ELASTIC WEBBING PLANT TO REMAIN HERE

The Everlastik Incorporated, formerly manufacturing elastic webbing in the two-story factory at 100-114 Cambridge street, will remain in Lowell. A report to that effect, current about the city for several days, was confirmed this morning by T. Martin and Brother company, controlling the Lowell plant.

Several weeks ago the Cambridge street plant was closed and announcement made that the concern would transfer most of its equipment to Boston headquarters, discontinuing further wetting operations in this city.

The announcement made this morning by Mr. Martin, in charge of the local plant, will be welcome news to local industrial circles. Mr. Martin stated that when the new required machinery equipment is made ready, there will be different webbing goods manufactured on Cambridge street. Plans have not been completed, it was said, for immediate renewal of operations, but about a month from now preparations for opening the plant may be concluded.

SONG-WRITING CONTEST AT HIGH SCHOOL

The song-writing contest at the Lowell high school in connection with which a prize of $5 is offered for the best song submitted and adjudged appropriate as a new school song, closes tomorrow night. Already Head Master Henry H. Harris has had eight songs submitted to him, two of which include music as well as words. All others are words set to popular tunes. When the contest closes the songs will be submitted to three judges, who will pick one or discard them all if they think none would be appropriate. The judges are F. O. Blunt, Sidney R. Fleet and A. F. Woodies.

GOV. W. T. McCRAY ADJUDGED BANKRUPT

FRANKFORT, Ind., Jan. 30.—Governor Warren T. McCray is adjudged a bankrupt in the report of Harry C. Sheridan, federal master in chancery, who recently conducted a hearing on the petition of three Fort Wayne banks. The report, made public here today, holds that McCray is not a farmer nor a laborer and therefore not exempt from the federal laws governing involuntary bankruptcy proceedings.

SUIT AGAINST IPSWICH MILLS DISMISSED

Federal Judge Lowell in Boston yesterday dismissed the suit brought against the Ipswich mills by the Paramount Textile Machinery Co., which alleged infringement of a patent for a stocking drying apparatus. The plaintiff company alleged that it owned a patent granted to Walter D. Butz in 1916 for a steel form in the shape of a leg, heated within, with a corrugated surface to prevent the stocking from slipping lengthwise when drying.

FEDERAL AGENTS WILL HAVE OFFICE HERE

The postoffice here may provide quarters in the near future for Federal Agents Walter H. Sullivan and Jack Hall of the prohibition enforcement staff. Mr. Sullivan was recently named as supervising agent for Massachusetts and all field forces in this state are working under his direction. Since the time this team commenced work in the district they have had their offices "under their hat."

Elmer C. Potter director of prohibition enforcement, is anxious that they be provided offices in Lowell inasmuch as most of their work is carried on from here. This coupled with the fact that the United States commissioner has his office in this city makes it necessary that they be provided some safe place to keep their court records, evidence and other necessities.

The matter of making room for them on the second floor of the postoffice building is under consideration by Postmaster Delisle. In the event that the building which is now quite comfortably filled, cannot accommodate them the agents will turn to the county or city in an effort to secure rent-free space.

COMMANDER QUINN WELCOMED TO N. E.

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—John R. Quinn, national commander of the American Legion, was welcomed to New England today. He came to attend a legion dinner here tonight.

A group of veterans escorted him to the home of Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards in Westwood, and later he called on Gov. Cox and Mayor Curley and visited the naval hospital in Chelsea. He was the governor's guest at luncheon.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Stock prices bounded upward at the opening of today's stock market in response to the declaration of an extra dividend of 50 cents on United States Steel common after the close of yesterday's market. Davison Chemical jumped six points, Pan-American B and General Electric 3 each, Bethlehem Steel 2, Baldwin 1 3/8, Pullman 1 1/2 and many others a point or more. So great was the accumulation of buying orders for U. S. Steel common that no opening price could be determined upon in the first five minutes.

The initial burst of buying embraced virtually all sections of the industrial list, gains of 1 to 2 points being quite common. When the advance showed signs of halting, a flood of profit-taking set in which carried Davison Chemical 4 1/2 points from its high price, Pan-American B 3, the A 2, and American Can Baldwin, Bethlehem and General Electric yielded 1 to 1 1/2 from their maximum quotations. American Can and Southern Railway established record highs for all time at 120 1/4 and 44 7/8, respectively. American Woolen was weak throughout, dropping more than a point. Foreign exchanges opened steady.

The initial outburst of buying and subsequent wave of profit-taking were followed by a relatively steady upward movement of prices, but except in a few cases, the high figures of the first few minutes were not touched again before noon. United States Steel climbed to 107, the highest price since last April, and American Can established another record top at 120 3/4. National Lead fell 2 3/4 on the announcement of the president of the company that no increase in the dividend had been considered. Seasoned dividend paying rails were in good demand, especially Atchison, New York Central and Union Pacific, all of which advanced a point or more. Call money opened at 4 1/4 per cent.

Merchandise and oil shares showed the most consistent strength in the afternoon, the remainder of the list to a large extent reflecting extensive realizing and bear selling in spots. Pacific Coast first and second preferred advanced five points each, Atlantic Refining 3 1/2, and Associated Dry goods 3 1/4. American Woolen was driven down 3 points.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Foreign exchanges firm. Great Britain demand 4.26 1/4; cables 4.26 1/2; 60 day bills on banks 4.24. France demand 4.61 1/2; cables 4.62. Italy demand 4.34 1/2; cables 4.35. Belgium demand 4.10 1/2; cables 4.11. Germany demand .00000000023; cables .00000000023. Holland demand 37.22. Norway demand 13.62. Sweden demand 26.17. Denmark demand 16.20. Switzerland demand 17.25 1/2. Spain demand 12.69. Greece demand 1.91. Poland demand .000011. Czecho-Slovakia demand 2.88. Jugo-Slavia demand 1.15 3/4. Austria demand .0014. Rumania demand .50 3/4. Argentine demand 33.00. Brazil demand 11.00. Tokio demand 45. Montreal 97 1-32.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Cotton futures opened easy. March 33.05; May 33.50; July 32.00; Oct. 27.88; Dec. 27.37.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	48	47 7/8	47 7/8
Am Beet Sug	44	44	44
Am Can	120 7/8	118 1/2	118 7/8
do pf	111 5/8	111 5/8	111 5/8
Am H & L	11 5/8	11 1/2	11 1/2
do pf	57 3/4	57 1/4	57 1/4
Am Loco	74 5/8	73 1/2	73 1/2
do pf	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
Am Smelt	60 1/8	59 1/4	59 1/4
Am Sug	56	55 7/8	55 7/8
Am Sumatra	23	22 1/8	22 1/8
Am T & T	128 7/8	128 3/4	128 7/8
Am Wool	73 3/8	69 3/4	70 1/8
Anaconda	38 5/8	38 1/8	38 1/8
Atch	102	101 1/4	101 1/4
At Gulf	16 3/4	15 1/2	16
Baldwin	124 3/4	122 1/4	122 3/4
B & O	58 3/4	56	57 7/8
Beth Steel A	60	58 5/8	58 7/8
B R T	15 7/8	15 3/4	15 5/8
Butte & Sup	18 3/4	18 3/4	18 3/4
Cal Pete	28 5/8	27 5/8	28 3/4
do pf	101	101	101
Can Pac	148 7/8	148 1/2	148 3/4
Cen Lea	16 1/8	15 5/8	15 5/8
do pf	39 1/2	37 1/2	37 3/4
Ches & O	75	74 1/4	74 1/4
C R I & P	24 7/8	24 3/4	24 3/4
Chile	27 3/4	27 5/8	27 5/8
Col G & E	36 5/8	36	36
Col Fuel	28 3/4	27 3/4	27 3/4
Con Gas	65 7/8	64 7/8	64 7/8
Corn Prod	183 1/2	182	182
Cru Steel	68	67 3/8	67 1/2
Cuba Cane	16 3/4	16 5/8	16 1/4
Del & Hud	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
do pf	33 3/4	33 1/2	33 3/4
do 2d	29 3/4	29 3/4	29 3/4
Gen Elec	215 3/4	210	210
Gen Motors	14 7/8	14 3/4	14 3/4
Gt No pf	58 3/4	58	58 3/4
Int Mer Mar pf	32	31 1/4	31 3/4
Int Paper	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
do pf	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
3 N Y STOCKS			
Kennecott	36 3/4	36 1/4	36 1/4
K City S	19 3/4	19 1/8	19 1/8
Lehigh Val	71	70	70
L and Nash	90	89	89
Maxwell	54	52 1/2	52 1/2
Midvale	32	32	32
Mother Lode	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Mo Pac	11	11	11
Nat Lead	153	147 3/4	147 3/4
do pfd	113 1/4	113 1/4	113 1/4
Nevada	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
N Y Cent	105 5/8	104 1/4	104 3/4
N Y and N H	19 1/4	18 3/4	18 1/4
No Pac	53 7/8	53 3/4	53 1/2
Nor and West	106 1/4	106 1/4	106 3/4
No Pac	53 7/8	53 3/8	53 1/2
Pan Amm	51 1/4	48 3/4	48 3/4
Penn	45 7/8	45 1/2	45 7/8
Peo Gas	97 5/8	96 3/4	97
Pere Marquette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Press Steel	61	60 3/4	61
Pullman	127 3/4	125	125 1/2
Pure Oil	21 5/8	21 1/4	21 3/8
Ray Con	[illegible]	11	11
Ry St Sp Co	[illegible]	111	111
Reading	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rep I & S	[illegible]	[illegible]	57 3/4
Royal D	[illegible]	51 3/4	51 3/4
St Paul	[illegible]	15 5/8	16
Sinclair Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]	23 1/4
Sloss	[illegible]	61 1/4	61 1/2
So Pac	88 3/4	88 1/4	88 1/4
So Ry	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do pfd	[illegible]	68 3/4	68 3/4
Stewart	[illegible]	[illegible]	95 1/4
Stud	[illegible]	101 3/4	101 7/8
Tenn Cop	[illegible]	9 1/4	9 1/4
Tex Pac	[illegible]	21 1/2	21 3/4
Third Av	[illegible]	10	10 1/2
U Pac	[illegible]	130	130
U S I Al	[illegible]	78	80 3/4
U S Rub	[illegible]	[illegible]	39 1/8
do pf	[illegible]	[illegible]	78 5/8
U S Steel	[illegible]	105 1/4	106
do pf	120	120	120
Va Chem	[illegible]	7 1/2	7 1/2
Wab	[illegible]	12 3/4	12 1/4
do A	[illegible]	[illegible]	37 7/8
Willys	12 3/4	12 1/4	12 1/2
Westhouse	64	63 1/4	63 1/4
Wes Un	[illegible]	112 3/4	113

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—A steady tone prevailed in the early trading on the local market today. American Telephone was up [illegible] and Co., [illegible] and New Haven, Ventura and Waldorf each [illegible].

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Am Wool pf	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Arcadian	[illegible]	[illegible]	8
Bos & [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	148
Bos El	[illegible]	[illegible]	79
Bos & Alb	[illegible]	[illegible]	148
Bos & Me	12 1/4	11 1/2	12 1/4
Cal & Hec	15 1/4	18 5/8	18 1/2

WILDEST STOCK MARKET SESSION IN YEARS

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—One of the wildest stock market sessions in recent years took place this morning, when thousands of buying orders poured onto the floor of the exchange, as a result of the declaration of an extra dividend of 50 cents on the common stock of the United States Steel corporation. Initial gains of active issues ranging from 1 to 6 points.

The first sale of United States Steel common, which was not recorded for several minutes because of the accumulation of orders was 7000 shares at 106, or 2 3/4 above yesterday's close.

Wall street was taken completely by surprise by the size of the extra dividend and the substantial increase in the earnings of the steel corporation for the last quarter of 1923. Professional bear traders, who had been selling stocks freely on the expectation of purchasing them substantially lower in the expected February reaction, hastened to cover their commitments.

When the opening gong sounded, the Steel post was surrounded by scores of wildly shouting and gesticulating brokers. It was nearly 10 minutes after trading began before an opening price could be decided upon. The first block of 7000 steel at 106 was followed by a block of 1500 at 105 3/4. Upwards of 50,000 shares of steel changed hands in the first half hour.

Davison Chemical soared six points, United States Cast Iron Pipe 4 5/8 and Pan-American B, General Electric, American Can, Bethlehem, Republic and Gulf States Steels, 2 to 3 points.

HELD ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO ROB

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Harry Maniff of Revere, appeared at the Federal building today and was placed under formal arrest on a charge of conspiracy to rob, in connection with the million dollar mail truck robbery in Los Angeles in March, 1921. He pleaded not guilty and furnished $5000 bonds for appearance at a hearing later.

Bert R. Chapman of this city, was arrested on a similar charge here yesterday. Bonds valued at $300,000, which formed part of the loot, have been recovered in this city after postal inspectors had traced them through Boston brokerage houses to banks here.

$300,000 BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 30.—The $300,000 suit of Miss Veta Gerber against David Shwartz, for alleged breach of promise, went on trial in supreme court today. The jury was selected in three-quarters of an hour.

Frederick H. Hinckley, in opening the case for the 30 year old milliner, said Louis Averback, a cousin of the defendant, acted in the capacity of matchmaker and "engineered" the alleged engagement between her and the wealthy real estate operator, which was made the basis of the suit.

Senators Press for Vote on Lease Annulment Resolution

Continued

as void of legality as the original order of transfer."

Referring to statements that the leases had been discussed by the cabinet, Senator Norris said he often wondered if the illegality of the contemplated action had not been called to the attention of that body by "the eminent secretary of state, a lawyer of highest standing."

Sec. Denby "Knew Nothing"

"I don't want to dwell upon this point," he added, "because the evidence is not conclusive that the matters were taken before the cabinet."

Senator Smoot, republican, Utah, said Secretary Denby has testified that they were not considered at any cabinet meeting he attended. The Utah senator asked Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, if there had been other evidence on this point.

"I don't recall Secretary Denby so testifying," said Senator Walsh, "but if he had it would carry no weight with me. Mr. Denby knew nothing about anything."

Resuming his argument, Senator Norris said that if the secretary of the interior had authority to enter into the oil reserve leases, he had equal right to dispose of any public property "even to the capitol grounds."

AROUND-TH-WORLD FLIGHT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Los Angeles, Cal., has been selected by the Army Air Service as teh starting point for the attempted around-the-world flight from Seattle, Wash., or Washington, D. C., have been modified accordingly.

MAYOR OF ROXHEIM SLAIN

MAYENCE, Germany, Jan. 30 (by the Associated Press).—The mayor of Roxheim, Bavarian Palatinate, an adherent of the autonomous movement in that province, was assassinated today as he was entering the town from the railway station.

WASHINGTON.—A baby girl was born to Secretary and Mrs. James J. Davis today. They have three other children.

	High	Low	Close
Cop Range	25	24 1/2	24 1/2
Davis-Daly	4 1/8	4	4 1/8
Eastern SS	42 1/4	42	42 1/4
Franklin	99	99	99
Isl Cr Coal	97	97	97
Lib McN	5 3/4	5 1/2	5 3/4
Mason Valley	1 5/8	1 5/8	1 5/8
Mass Gas	77	76 5/8	76 5/8
do pf	68	68	68
Mayflower	1 3/4	1 3/4	1 3/4
Nat Leather	4	4	4
New Cornelia	17 1/4	17	17
N E Tel	115 1/2	114 7/8	115
No Butte	3 1/4	3	3 1/4
Orpheum	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Swift & Co	103	102 1/2	102 1/2
U Sh M	37 1/8	36 7/8	36 7/8
Trinity	65	65	65
Ventura	26 1/4	26	26 1/4
Waldorf	16	16	16
Waltham Watch	8 5/8	8 5/8	8 5/8
Wickwire Spencer	5 1/4	4 3/4	4 3/4

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RECOGNITION OF RUSSIA WITHIN TEN DAYS

LONDON, Jan. 30.—(By the Associated Press.)—Full diplomatic recognition of soviet Russia by the British government is expected within 10 days, according to political observers conversant with the labor government's intentions. These observers say Premier Macdonald is anxious to have recognition an accomplished fact before parliament meets on Feb. 12.

TRYING TO CURTAIL USE OF COTTON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The department of justice is without information concerning a charge that the international Federation of Spinners are trying to effect a curtailment of the use of cotton, acting Attorney General Seymour today advised Senator Harris, democrat, Georgia.

The senator had presented a statement from a New York cotton dealer, saying that "well founded reports say the federation has been putting out feelers among American mills with a view of inducing them to join the movement and that the plan has been laid before high government officials."

AMERICAN STEAMER MISSING

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 30.—The American steamer Papyrus, which left Antwerp for this port on December 8, with a cargo of alcohol, has not been heard from since she sailed, and it is feared that she foundered at sea. The Papyrus, formerly the Susquehanna, registered 1374 tons net. She arrived at Antwerp from Liverpool, on December 2, and after taking on her cargo, sailed six days later. Her captain has relatives in this city.

HAVERHILL POLICEMAN SAVES 14 AT FIRE

HAVERHILL, Jan. 30.—At the risk of his life, Patrolman William F. Denoncour of the police department, performed heroic duty during a fire which wiped out the establishment of John Desarkisian, cobbler and retail shoe dealer, and caused extensive damage to other sections of the building on Essex street, short before midnight last night when he braved the flames and smoke to rescue 11 children, a man and two women, whose escape from the burning building was cut off by walls of smoke. The last person, a 15 year old girl, to be taken from the building, was carried out by firemen. On Patrolman Denoncour's last trip into the burning house he was accompanied by Harry Bushway.

SALE OF TECUMSEH MILLS APPROVED

FALL RIVER, Jan. 30.—The sale of the Tecumseh mills to the Davol mills, in accordance with the plans outlined to stockholders of the former corporation a week ago, was unanimously approved at a special meeting of te stockholders of the meeting of the stockholders of the, the rooms of the Cotton Manufacturers' association. A total of 46 ballots, representing 5945 shares were voted in favor of the consolidation, with the Davol mills, with not a dissenting vote. Treasurer Simeon B. Chase in answer to stockholders, stated he was of the opinion the cash dividend to the Tecumseh shareholders would be approximately 100 per cent. The stockholders will also receive one and one-third shares of Davol mills for each share of their present holdings.

DAWES COMMITTEE MEETS IN BERLIN

BERLIN, Jan. 30. (By the Associated Press) General Charles G. Dawes, chairman of the first committee of experts investigating Germany's finances which arrived in Berlin from Paris last evening, presided at a preliminary meeting of the committee here today at which the methods of procedure at the Berlin meetings were discussed. It was decided to address a request to Chancellor Marx that the committee be given facilities for establishing points of contact with persons capable of furnishing it information. The committee, it was stated, has decided that it will not draft the report until after leaving Berlin.

HUNDREDS PAY TRIBUTE TO EXPLOSION VICTIM

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Jan. 30.—Hundreds of neighbors attended the funeral of Michael Conway in Manville today, and paid tribute to the memory of the man who directed his sons to rescue their mother and sister, and leave him to his fate, after the explosion which wrecked the house in which he lived and resulted in 15 deaths. The funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Hamel and their 11 children planned for today, was postponed till tomorrow, in order that some relatives from Canada may attend. The burial will be in a local cemetery.

STUDY RETURNS FILED BY ANDERSON

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The conviction of William H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, was followed by the revelation that examiners of the federal income tax bureau had been detailed to study the returns filed by Mr. Anderson and O. Bartsall Phillips for 1920.

Bankruptcy Shoe Sale

Stock Has Been Bought and Transferred Here From the D. S. Shoe Store in Lawrence

A complete line of MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S BOOTS, SHOES and RUBBERS to be cleaned out at give-away prices. This wonderful sale will only last a few days. Be amongst the lucky ones and come early.

READ A FEW OF OUR PRICES AND SEE FOR YOURSELF

- Men's High Grade Shoes, black or tan, all styles and sizes .... 95¢
- Men's High Grade Shoes .... 50¢
- Men's Scout Shoes $1.45
- Men's Heavy Solid Leather Working Shoes $1.45, $1.95
- Army and Navy Shoes $2.95
- Men's Goodyear Welt High Grade Dress Shoes $1.95, $2.95
- Men's Felt Slippers .... 75¢
- Men's Rubbers .... 75¢
- Men's 1-Buckle Overshoes $1.25
- Men's 4-Buckle Overshoes $2.95
- Men's Heavy Lumberman's Rubbers, 12 inch high $2.95
- Men's Rubber Boots $2.95
- Women's Felt Slippers .... 45¢
- Women's Rubbers .... 60¢
- Women's Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps—All the latest styles— $1.95 and $2.95
- A Lot of 350 Pairs Women's Shoes to Be Sold at .... 25¢ Pair
- Women's 4-Buckle Overshoes, $2.25
- A Lot of 200 Pairs of Women's Rubbers—Pair .... 25¢
- Girls' Shoes .... 95¢
- Children's Shoes .... 25¢
- Children's Rubber Boots $1.25
- Girls' Overshoes $1.95
- Boys' Shoes .... 95¢
- Boys' Rubbers .... 55¢

DON'T MISS THIS SPECIAL BARGAIN
400 Pairs of Women's and Girls' White Oxfords and Pumps—One or two straps; selling price $3.95. To close them out at 75c

STORE CLOSED TODAY—SALE STARTS THURSDAY MORNING AT NINE
Look for the Big Re-opening Sign in Front of the Store
REMEMBER THE NAME

Bernstein Shoe Co.

186 MIDDLESEX STREET

Opposite Union Market

10 Extra Salesgirls Wanted at Once.

THURSDAY SALE, 4 TO 6 P. M.

Fresh Dressed **Shore Haddock, lb. 7c**

Fresh Ground **HAMBURG STEAK** 3 lbs. 25¢ **10c** lb.

THURSDAY SALE, ALL DAY

- Cut-Up CHICKEN 29c lb.
- Fresh, Lean SHOULDERS 12c lb.
- Smoked SHOULDERS 12c lb.
- Flank CORN. BEEF 7c lb.

Steak CLUB SIRLOIN, lb. .... 25¢ PORTERHOUSE, lb. .... 37¢ Good Quality Beef

- CHUCK ROAST 16c, 18c Lb.
- 1 Lb. BEEF LIVER ½ Lb. SLICED BACON Both for 19c
- LEAF LARD 16c Lb.

Thin Skin Juicy **Grape Fruit 6 for 25c**

- HERRING 6c Each Fresh, Nice
- SMELTS 18c Lb. Choice Fresh
- CLAMS In Shell 10c Qt.

Three Day Flour Sale

JUST ARRIVED 3 CARLOADS FLOUR
One Jem Bread Flour, One Purity Bread Flour, One Jem Pastry Flour
During this 3-Day Sale the Flour will be sold at Bargain Prices

JEM BRAND PRIZE Flour — Milled Especially for Us. Makes More, Whiter and Better Loaves — $1.09 BAG — 98 lb. Sack, $4.25

JEM BRAND PASTRY Flour — Guaranteed Satisfactory or Money Refunded — 89c BAG — 5 lb Bag 22¢, 12 1-4 lb. Bag 46¢, 98 lb. Bag $3.50

PURITY BREAD FLOUR — Guaranteed Satisfactory — 5 Lb. BAG 22¢, 12¼ Lb. BAG 46¢, 98 Lb. SACK $3.50 — 89c Bag

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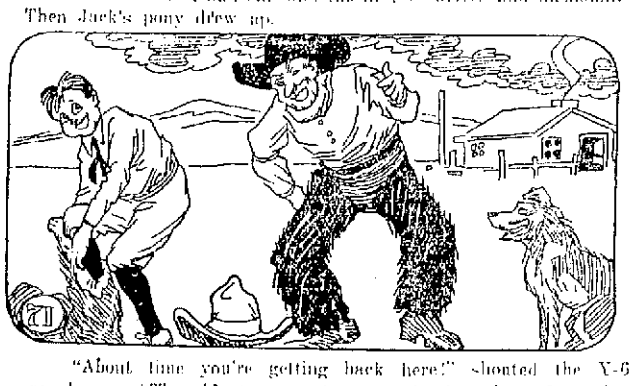
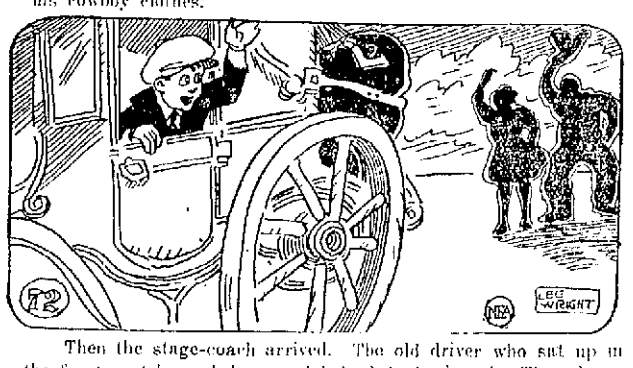
Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 23

Amid Flip's barking and the clatter of the two ponies' hoofs, Jack and Rose sped across the plains. At first Jack took the lead, but when they came in sight of the Y-6 ranch-house, Rose went ahead of him, and she was the first to arrive and dismount. Then Jack's pony drew up.



"About time you're getting back here!" shouted the Y-6 ranchman. "The old stage-coach passes by here in a few minutes and I want Jack to ride back to the railroad station in it." "Oh, that will be fine!" shouted Jack. And he quickly took off his cowboy clothes.

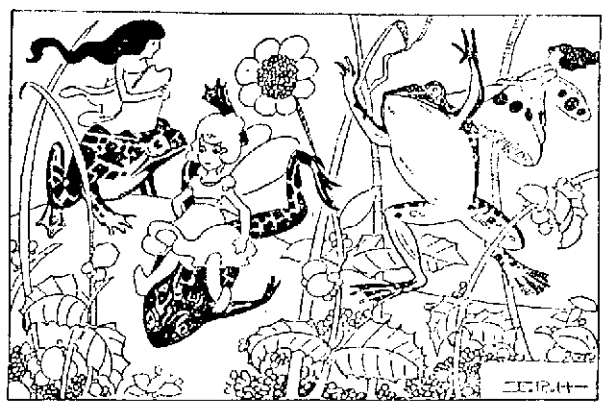


Then the stage-coach arrived. The old driver who sat up in the front seat hopped down and helped Jack aboard. The adventurer waved goodby to the ranchman and Rose. And away he went. His visit to Y-6 ranch was over. Jack's next adventure is in the Cave of the Winds.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

AN AIRY FAIRY RIDDLE



THEY RIDE ON FROGS AND GREEN POLLYWOGS

"The next riddle," said the Riddle Lady, "is something you can't eat or see or hear, or smell or touch or taste! That is unless the Sandman or the Dream Maker are nearby, or you have some sort of magic with you. Now see who can guess?"

"What is it that is
Gay and sweet,
In the green retreat,
Of their shingly dingly dells,
Slipping in and out,
As they flit about
Busily weaving spells.

"Their houses are bowers
Of posey flowers,
Their drink is mist and dew,
And the leaves of the roses
They wear for clothes
Are the finest you ever knew.

"The way they tease
The birdies and bees,
Is a mocking, shocking thing,
They always say
It's the oniest way,
They know how to make 'em sing.

"They ride on frogs,
And green pollywogs,
When they go out to call,
And lizards and eels
Are their automobiles,
When they go to the elf king's ball.

"They cling to the gleams
Of gold moonbeams,
And climb to a starry height,
Then down they coast,
A tumbling host,
Shrieking with shrill delight.

"If they'd tell me this secret,
I'd try so to keep it!
Do they ever have comp-ny to tea?
Then I'd go and I'd call,
And I'd talk to them all,
And perhaps they'd say something to me."

"Is it caterpillars?" asked Bo Peep. "Or spiders? They live in posey flowers sometimes and drink dew and everything like that?"

"The very idea!" said Contrary Mary indignantly. "Of course not. I never allow a caterpillar in my garden. Besides, who ever heard of caterpillars wearing rose-leaves for clothes. The ugly things wear fur!"

"And as for spiders," put in Miss Muffet, "let me tell you they don't have company to tea. The cheeky things come to other people's parties without being asked!"

"I know what it is," spoke up Nancy. "It's fairies, isn't it?"

"Yes," smiled the Riddle Lady, "and the prize is a lovely pink rose. If you know where there are any fairies, you can make dresses for them all."

(To Be Continued)

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
5.20	6.40	2.30	3.10
6.22	7.20	6.00	7.08
b6.30	7.50	7.35	8.33
6.44	7.30	b8.15	9.30
6.56	8.00	9.00	9.39
7.12	8.03	10.05	10.40
7.56	8.37	12.30	1.11
9.01	9.48	s1.05	2.03
10.06	11.05	s1.20	2.40
11.17	12.00	2.15	3.11
12.07	1.01	2.50	3.41
1.51	2.38	4.00	4.42
2.45	3.48	4.05	5.24
z3.30	4.12	5.00	5.42
4.00	4.46	b5.21	6.47
4.12	5.26	5.34	6.35
5.06	6.40	5.50	7.17
b6.05	7.38	6.14	7.18
6.58	7.45	8.00	8.41
8.24	9.06	8.30	9.11
9.58	10.50	10.30	11.40
		11.35	12.40

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.33	7.38	z6.35	8.31
10.54	12.19	10.35	11.53
5.14pm	6.55	3.20	4.38
7.12	8.26	5.14	6.18
10.20	11.33	6.55	8.14
		9.50	11.17

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
12.07	1.20	3.30	4.46
3.40	4.46	5.30	6.45
6.26	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.06		

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.44	7.30	5.45	7.55
7.12	8.03	10.00	10.39
8.30	9.40	10.30	11.09
9.13	10.10	1.00	2.01
10.20	11.17	5.30	6.24
2.32	3.36	7.15	8.25
4.59	5.54	8.00	8.41
6.58	7.45	8.50	9.11
8.06	8.50	9.25	10.35
8.38	9.50	10.45	12.02
9.55	11.30		

b via Lexington; z via Wilmington Jct. n not holidays; s Saturdays only.

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT BOTH NEWSSTANDS IN NORTH STATION, BOSTON

OUT OUR WAY

This Little World

LOS ANGELES

BY DON RYAN
N.E.A. Service Writer

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9—Our Lady of the Angeles, quiet, yellow, high-shouldered and dignified by the march of years, looks across the plaza which once was the center of the Pueblo of Los Angeles. Founded in 1784 by Fr. Junipero Serra, the mission of Our Lady is quite the oldest thing in downtown Los Angeles today. With its paved court and garden in which palm trees show behind thick walls, it is the one remaining tranquility in the roaring cauldron of an expanding commercial city where everybody owns an automobile.

Workmen with steam machinery have been eating like voracious moths at the northeastern corner of the church enclosure. Are they going to tear down the mission?

No. The mission is to stand. Even the advancing commercialism of Los Angeles will not affront this sacred effigy of the past. But a corner of the garden must go—to make room for a new bank.

Out among the stables. The halldoors open like port-holes and from them protrude the contemplative heads of horses—passengers watching from a liner at dock. A bleat from behind a stack of baled hay. Around the corner appears the dappled head of a goat, the long beard wagging as the animal chews.

Mascot? Something more. A companion for the horses, Old Race Horse Johnny will tell you. Old Race Horse Johnny, otherwise J. A. Gilreath of J. G. Irvin's Kentucky stables. A twisted smile behind a tobacco-stained mustache. Johnny is past his 70th birthday.

About the goat. The horse needs him. If the goat is taken away the horse will pine. That's where that expression started—about gettin' your goat. Somebody steals a race horse's goat and that horse will run no more.

At least some originality has been displayed by Eloise Clement, lecturer and actress, who recently obtained the conviction in court of Michael Dorman, radium chemist, who got too fresh with her. Miss Clement, who obtained considerable notoriety because of the case, is not going into the movies. Instead she announces her intention of becoming a lawyer. She will specialize on prosecuting mashers.

The sport of kings—but no gambling! With legions of policemen, sheriff's men and volunteers acting as detectives, Los Angeles may safely go to the races.

Brown and flat, girt by squat hills, stirred above by the passage of indifferent clouds and backed by the fantastic weathering palace sets of the Goldwyn studio in the distance. This is the setting, while from the spidery grandstand rises the howl of 4000 throats.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary O'Neill, sometimes called Mary E. O'Neill late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Timothy E. Connor, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirty-first day of January, A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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City of Lowell, Massachusetts
Lowell, Mass., Jan. 25, 1924.
DEPT. OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

NOTICE

In compliance with the provisions of Section 41, Chapter 98 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, I hereby give notice to all inhabitants or persons having usual places of business in the City of Lowell, who use weights, measures and balances, for the purpose of selling, buying or exchanging goods, wares, merchandise or other commodities, to bring in their weights, measures and balances to be adjusted and sealed.

I shall be at the office of the Sealer of Weights and Measures during the month of February to attend to this duty.

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OFFICE HOURS—8 a. m. to 4.30 p. m.

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Announcements

LOST AND FOUND 2

A SQUIRREL skin lined glove lost. Return to Mr. Preston, 156 Pleasant st.

WRIST WATCH lost Sunday night between Dracut, White and Moody streets. Reward. 502 Moody st. Tel. 5887-Y.

LADY'S UMBRELLA with blue square top lost Saturday, Jan. 19, on either Dracut Centre or North Chelmsford cars. Return to 131 Merrimack st.

TORTOISE SHELL GLASSES in case lost between Merrimack st. (at Suffolk) and Oak st. Reward if returned to Pentucket garage or 7 Oak st.

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SERVICE STATION 12

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Zoel St. Hilaire, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Priscille A. St. Hilaire, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of February, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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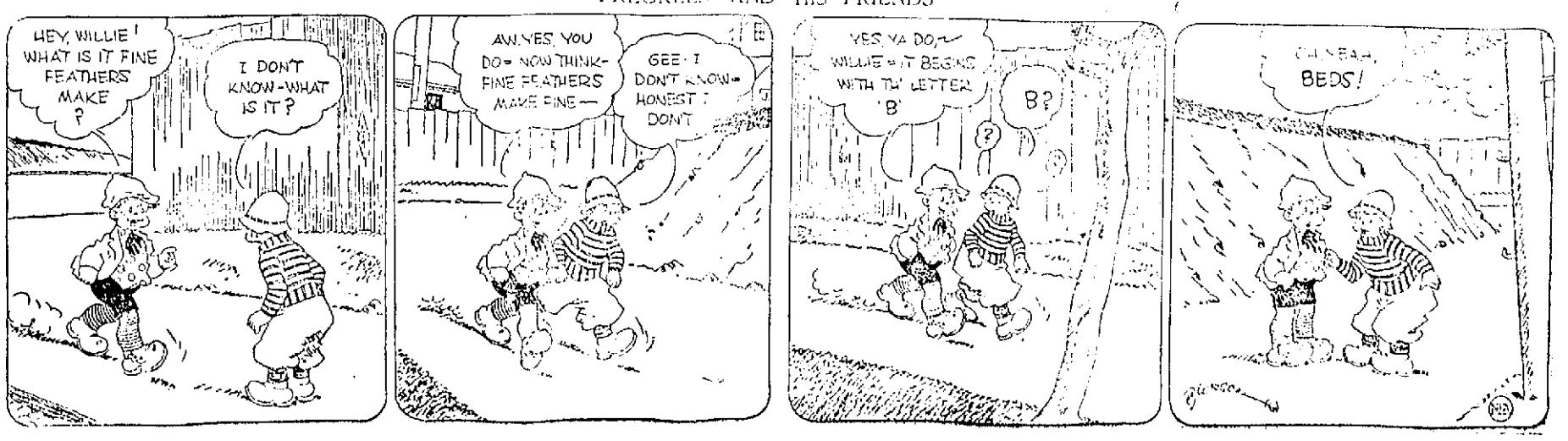

LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN

No Recent Tidings of Committee Appointed to Investigate Assessing Dept.

What has happened to the "investigation" of the assessing department suggested by Councilor Daniel Cosgrove last year and which has rather slipped into the land of oblivion during the past few months?

The board of assessors is wondering whether Councilor Cosgrove's committee has a report in mind, what its nature will be and when it will be submitted to the council, as all committee reports must be sooner or later.

As far as can be learned, the last meeting of the committee was last September or early in October, but since then Chairman Cosgrove has issued no call to his fellow-members, Councilors Genest and McPadden, and the committee seems to be in that placid state of status quo so often used when no other explanatory phrase comes to mind.

When the committee first was appointed on motion of Mr. Cosgrove there were rumors of startling upheavals in the work of assessing, but the motion-maker put them to rest when he was friendly disposed toward all three assessors and simply desired to assist them in every possible way. The committee took one or two trips to Cambridge and New Bedford—if memory serves, but since then it has seemed to tread water and the "investigation" is fast becoming only a memory.

AT THE Y.M.C.A.

T. R. Williams, boys' work secretary at the Y.M.C.A., has an interesting story to tell the dormitory men of the "Y" tonight at their weekly supper and get-together. Mr. Williams attended a recent boys' work conference in Austria and gained some impressions of which it is well worth while to hear him tell. Mrs. Wilmot will, as usual, serve the supper. An attendance of about sixty dormitory residents is expected. Archibald D. Grant will preside.

COUNTY REPORTS FOR 1923

are in the hands of the printer and The county reports for the year 1923 it is expected will be ready for delivery on or about Feb. 15, County Commissioner Ersom B. Barlow stated this morning.

HELD BIG CELEBRATION

Bon Marche Employes Observe Mutual Benefit Association Anniversary

The Employes Mutual Benefit association of the Bon Marche provided an elaborate celebration in Liberty hall last night in observance of the 17th anniversary of the birth of the organization, now reputed as one of the best in the city.

From 6.15, when the happy gathering sat down to a banquet of rare delicacies, until a late hour, the hall resounded with laughter and merriment, the entertainment bargains keeping

JOHN H. FOLEY
President

the employes enthused continually. Miss Elizabeth Mitchell, treasurer of the company, and E. J. Gilmore, president and general manager, were present as special guests.

The banquet tables were tastily decorated for the occasion. While the delicious menu was being served, Frank Redding's orchestra supplied pleasing musical numbers and also accompanied the various entertainers during the remainder of the evening's program.

John H. Hogan was an excellent toastmaster. In choice phrases, he extended a note of welcome to the members of the association and the invited guests and thanked all for the co-operation shown in this and all past endeavors. He then presented the chairman of the entertainment committee, Philias I. Duval, who introduced Ray Chrisholm and Al Forrest in a highly entertaining skit entitled "Pritchetty's Mystery Boy." Edward Harrington and Miss Estelle Doran obliged with saxophone and song selections, respectively, and there were recitations and dances by Miss Mary Driscoll, solos by Edward Donehue and piano numbers by Florence Kydd. The soloists were accompanied by Miss Vina Garrity.

After brief congratulatory remarks had been offered by Mr. Gilmore, a musical comedy skit teeming with originality, "The Bon Marche Circuit," was presented and proved the big hit of the evening. The theme of the sketch centered around a theatrical booking agency where candidates for the vaudeville stage presented themselves for try-outs. They recommended themselves to the manager in flattering terms and then proceeded to display their wares. The result was excellent comedy supplied by the members of the cast, as follows:

Sam, the office boy...Samuel Lemieux
Peg, the stenographer, Grace W. Burns
M. Schllansky, booking agent, Warren K. Hanscom
Mr. Hiram Hoover.....Tom Trask
Mrs. Euphemia Hoover.....Mrs. Mack
Two Black Spots,
Francis Burns, Eugene Fontaine
A Crinoline Girl.....Alice Bird
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Ike ..... Agnes McColough
Mike ..... Jeanne Giroux
The Prima Donna.....Elizabeth Joy
The Greatest Ventriloquist Art Ever offered,
Warren Hanscom, Grace Burns, Samuel Lemieux.

The officers of the association are: John H. Foley, president; Philias Duval, vice president, Jeanne Giroux, secretary; Margaret Curley, treasurer; Kathryn Sparks, collector; Margaret Riley, Albert Rhodes, Margaret Chisholm, auditors.

The committee in charge of the banquet consisted of Kathryn Sparks, chairman; Samuel Lemieux, Gerald Duval, Albert Rhodes, Grace Burns.

GETTING READY TO MOVE

In connection with the decision to remove the central accounting offices of the telephone company from this city to Salem district, auditors have commenced the work of checking the books of the Lowell office. As approximately 200,000 subscribers are served in this district, the work is expected to take some time.

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Lieut. Bartholomew Ryan is confined to his home by illness.

Rev. W. George Mullin, formerly of St. Peter's church, now pastor in Manchester-by-the Sea was in Lowell Monday renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Murphy announce the engagement of their daughter, Alice Laura, to Mr. James C. Moore of Shreveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Wells of this city are registered at Hotel St. James San Diego, California.

Mrs. C. W. Holmes and Miss Catherine Holmes will leave Friday for St. Petersburg, Fla. where they will spend the winter months.

A severe cold has forced City Engineer Stephen Kearney to remain away from his office for a few days.

Bound copies of his 1924 inaugural address are being mailed to mayors of Massachusetts cities by Mayor John J. Donovan.

Friends of Gen. Gardner W. Pearson will be glad to know that his recovery from a recent operation for appendicitis is progressing quite satisfactorily.

Fitchburg and Leominster councils of the Knights of Columbus are to stage a big meeting on Feb. 10 in the interest of the forthcoming exemplification of the fourth degree in this city. State and Lowell K. of C. officers will speak at the meeting.

The state education department extension class in automobile repairing will meet this evening at 7.15, in Coburn hall, in the high school. No registrations for the course will be accepted after tonight. There are now 158 members in the class. The instruction is being given in this course by John J. Gildee, vocational school teacher, and both men and women may attend.

The Women's Alliance of All Souls' church was entertained yesterday afternoon by a musical program given by members of the church. The young people who sang and played were Miss Sarah Mason, Miss Adelaide Walsh, Edwin McLoon and Miss Anna Baker. The program was in charge of Miss Maude Lancaster.

Miss Mary Fitzgerald has been added to the clerical force in the office of the charity department at city hall. Her appointment came from a civil service list of eligibles

William H. Heaney, of 18 Bowen st., who recently completed an enlistment in the Coast Artillery Corps at Fort Banks, Boston harbor, signed up for a term in the 3rd Cavalry this morning through the local recruiting office. He will be sent to Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, for active service.

CHALLENGE FOR DEBATE ON ANY SUBJECT

The debating team for the class of 1925 at the high school, composed of McArdle, MacIlrayne and Snyder, issued a challenge to the other three classes for a debate on any subject this morning.

Every seat on the floor of the Lowell Opera House for the evening performance of "The Boomerang" has been sold, but there are still many good ones left for the afternoon show, and a few seats in good position in the first balcony for the evening show. The seats will be on sale every day hereafter in the old high school office, until the day of the show.

The senior day committee met in the library at recess today for the purpose of making preliminary plans for the observance of the day when the members of the class wear outlandish costumes to school and generally celebrate the last year of school.

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The stock and fixtures consist in part of parlor stoves, kitchen ranges, linoleum and oil cloth, beds, bedding and mattresses, parlor and dining room furniture, refrigerators, gas stoves, chairs, tables, cedar chests, baby carriages, carpet sweepers, clocks, kitchenware and the usual stock of household furniture and furnishings to be found in a furniture store.

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE REFUSES TO CONSIDER SALARY INCREASES

Teachers' Organization Salary Schedule is Referred to Sub-Committee—Request of Counsel for Hearing in Dennett Case is Denied

An attempt by Mr. Bruin to take under consideration salary increases for school teachers was defeated by the school committee last night at the first business meeting of the 1924 committee. Mr. Bruin's proposal was to grant lump increases to teachers by departments, the increases ranging from $100 for kindergarten teachers to $500 for Supt. Hugh J. Molloy.

On motion of Mr. Delaney a sub-committee was appointed to take up the salary schedule and a special meeting will be held Friday evening to take action on the sub-committee's report and also on the budget estimate of 1924.

The meeting was called to order at 7.35 o'clock with all members present.

The resignation of Catherine E. Egan, a teacher in the Bartlett school and Agnes Joyce, a kindergarten teacher, were read and accepted.

A communication from John M. O'Donoghue, counsel for William W. Dennett in his mandamus proceedings for reinstatement as principal of the Green evening school, was read asking that the board give him a hearing before the case is again called in court. On motion of Mr. Delaney the letter was received and placed on file. Mr. Delaney said that after the conclusion of the court proceedings he would be willing to hear Mr. Dennett but he felt the matter should be settled in court first. This appeared to be the opinion of all members of the board as Mr. Delaney's motion was unanimously accepted.

Permission to discontinue the blueprint reading class at the Evening Vocational school was requested by Principal Fisher on account of the small number of students. On recommendation of Supt. Molloy such permission was granted.

A communication from Headmaster Harris of the high school concerning the overcrowded condition of certain classes and asking permission to employ Miss Hornby as a permanent substitute was read and upon recommendation of Supt. Molloy said permission was granted. Miss Hornby has substituted for Miss Mabel Cassidy for the past several months. Miss Cassidy returned Monday and Miss Hornby's services were requested by Mr. Harris to assist in departments where classes are overcrowded.

To Advance Sub-Master

Supt. Molloy requested that Junior Sub-Master E. G. Brennon, of the high school, be advanced to junior master in order to retain him at the school, he having received an offer from a near-by city carrying a considerably higher salary.

Mr. Bruin spoke against advancing Mr. Brennon on the schedule as a means of giving him an increase and advocated giving him a straight increase. On a roll call vote Mr. Molloy was granted permission to advance Mr. Brennon, Mr. Bruin and the mayor voting "no," and all others in the affirmative.

Mr. Riley immediately moved that the superintendent be instructed to bring in the names of men qualified to fill the junior sub-master position left vacant by Mr. Brennon's promotion.

Mr. Johnson objected to this motion, saying that Mr. Brennon will continue doing the work he has always done and adding that the reason for giving him a new title was to give him a salary increase that would keep him as a teacher in the high school.

Mr. Riley's motion was declared on roll call.

Mr. Bruin then moved that, as the bars against granting increases had been broken down, the following increases be granted: Kindergarten teachers and principals, $100; primary, grammar, junior high teachers and supervisors, high school teachers $200 and $150; vocational and continuation teachers, $200; janitors and janitresses, 7 per cent.; grammar and junior high school masters, $250; headmaster of the high school, $500; superintendent of schools, $500. In explanation of his motion Mr. Bruin said he felt out the maintenance department employes because they received an increase 13 months ago, whereas the teachers have not been increased in four years. The reason for increasing the headmaster of the high school's salary but $200 was because he received a $500 increase 13 months ago. The increases would, in Mr. Bruin's estimation, increase the budget but $75,000 while the increased requested by the Teachers' organization would mean an increase of about $120,000.

Mr. Delaney offered as an amendment to Mr. Bruin's motion that the wage scale presented by the Teachers' organization some time ago be taken from the table. The amendment was carried, Messrs. Bruin, Riley and Donovan voting against it.

Mr. Delaney then moved that the salary schedule presented by the Teachers' organization be rejected and a committee of the school committee named to confer with the head of the organization and the superintendent of schools and draw up a new schedule. In making this motion Mr. Delaney claimed that since the schedule was drawn up some members of the organization have requested increases different than provided in the schedule.

Mr. Bruin objected to this motion, claiming it was only an attempt to sidestep granting the teachers an increase they have been waiting four years for and asked for a yes or no vote on his motion.

Mayor Donovan said he was willing to grant increases to do away with inequalities but he objected to granting a lump increase.

Mr. Delaney's motion was carried, Mr. Bruin alone voting in the negative, and Mr. Riley, Mrs. Pearson and Mr. Johnson were named by Mayor Donovan as the salary sub-committee.

A certificate of the first grade was granted Walter C. Shea.

French and Latin Instructors

Mr. Molloy requested permission to hire two high school teachers as instructors of French and Latin at the Moody school, the teachers to work during the afternoon and to receive $3.50 per session. Mr. Molloy explained that there were no teachers in the Moody school who could do this work at the present time and added that residents of the section felt their children should be taught the first principles of both subjects before entering high school so that they would be on even terms with graduates of other grammar schools. Mrs. Pearson moved that the permission be granted.

Mr. Bruin asked Mr. Molloy what subjects Messrs. Foley and Gillick taught in the high school. Mr. Molloy could not answer definitely but added that from the nature of the question he decided to say that if the power of naming the teachers for this work was to be taken out of his hands he would withdraw his request.

On roll call he was granted the requested permission unanimously.

A claim for clothing alleged to have been stolen from the Butler school was referred to the city solicitor.

The reports of the lunch room and high school athletic fund were made by Business Agent Williams.

Mr. Molloy announced that the United States Cartridge company had presented the school department a printing press for use in the Vocational school. Mr. Delaney moved acceptance of the gift and asked that the Cartridge company be extended a vote of thanks.

A communication from William Patterson of the Boston School housing committee concerning his readiness to confer with the board in regard to the Edson school matter was filed.

Will Attend Chicago Convention

The superintendent was instructed to attend the annual superintendents' convention in Chicago February 24 to 29 at the expense of the school department.

Mr. Molloy called attention to the fact that the estimates for the year were ready and asked that the board meet within a few days to take action on the estimates so that the budget could be prepared without any unnecessary delay.

Mr. Johnson moved that a special meeting be held Friday evening for the purpose of acting on the estimates and also to hear the report of the sub-committee on salaries. This motion was carried.

Miss Mary E. Tobin, president of the Teachers' organization, was granted permission to speak and told briefly of the method used by the salary committee of the organization in drawing up the schedule. She said the schedule was adopted unanimously at a special meeting of the organization and told of two changes made in the schedule at the suggestion of the superintendent following its adoption which also met with the approval of the body and asked that it be accepted as the official schedule desired by the teachers.

A letter from the civil service commission granting permission to employ three firemen at the high school for 60 days was received and placed on the records.

Supt. Molloy recommended the election of Miss Dorothy M. Stevens as a kindergarten teacher and her election was unanimous.

The meeting adjourned at 9.40 o'clock until next Friday evening at 7.30.

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